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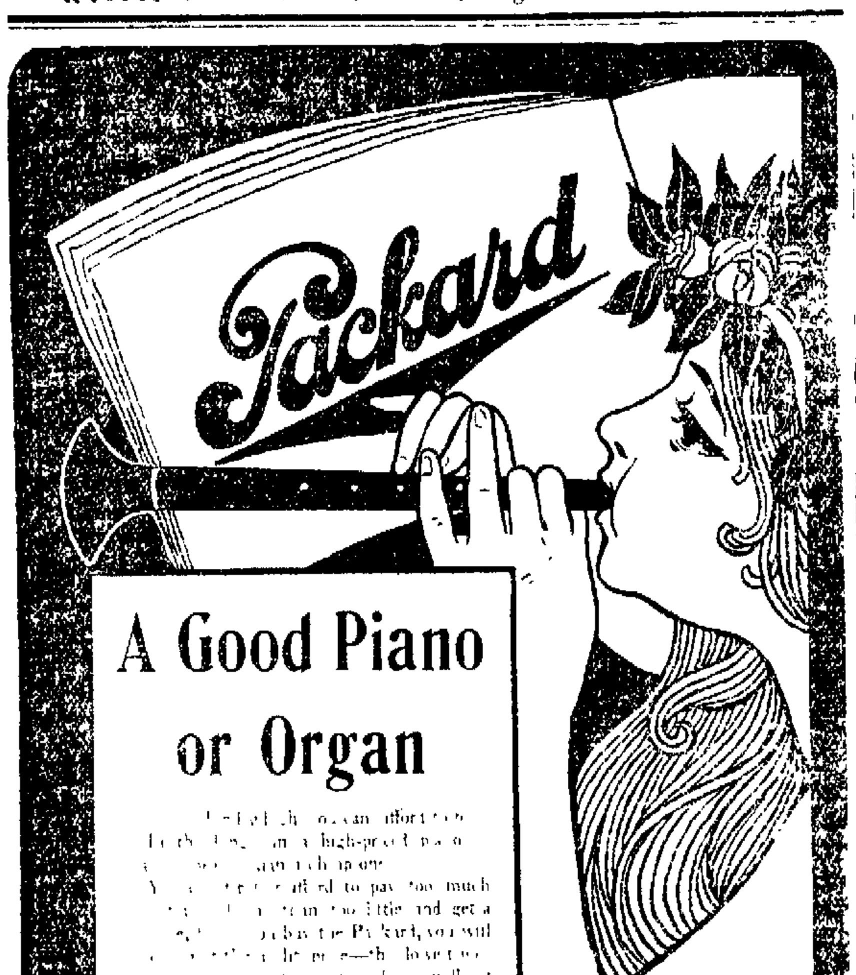

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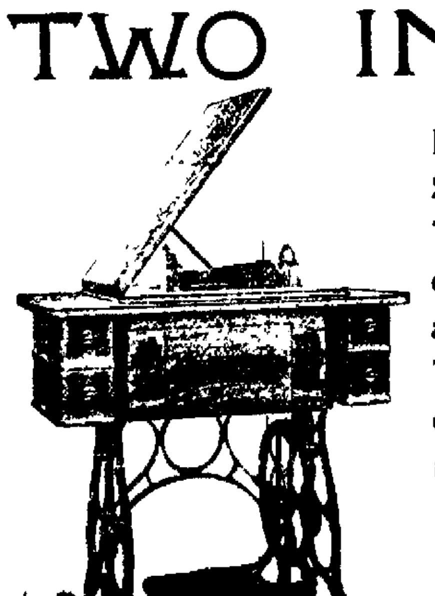

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THE MARKETS.

Chicago, Nov. 11.—Wheat opened a shade under yesterday's close today, December at 67½c and May at 71¼@71⅜c. Liverpool, despite the decline here yesterday, was steady. Statistics generally were bearish. Commission houses were the principal sellers. The market eased off from the opening figures, December to 67¼@67⅜c and May to 71⅛c. The expectation that Monday's statistics would be bearish and liberal northwest receipts were factors in the decline. Minneapolis and Duluth received 1,039 cars, compared with 723 last week and 1,229 the corresponding day of last year. Receipts here were 86 cars, 28 of which were of contract grade.

Monday's statistics are expected to show world's shipments of about 8,000,000 bushels, an increase in Chicago's stock of 1,000,000 and an increase visible of 2,000,000 bushels or more.

Corn was rather easy for deferred futures, but steady for the December options. December opened unchanged at 31¼@31⅜c and May a shade lower at 32½@32⅝c. Small country offerings and firm cables were the cause of the weakness. The price eased off a bit on profit-taking, December to 31¼c and May to 32⅜@32½c. Shorts were buyers on a moderate scale at the decline. Receipts here were 231 cars.

Oats opened unchanged to a shade lower. December at 22¾c and May at 23¾@23⅞c, holding firm with corn. There was almost no speculative business.

Provisions were lower with wheat, lack of demand and lower hog prices. January pork opened 5c lower at $9.62½; January lard a shade under at $5.22½@5.25 and January ribs a shade lower at $4.97½@5.00

Business was very light.

THE CLOSE.

Prices at the close were as follows:

Wheat—Nov., 66⅜c; Dec., 67¾c; May, 71⅛c

Corn—Nov., 31½c; Dec., 31¼@31⅜c; Jan., 30¼c; May, 32⅜@32½c.

Oats—Nov., 22¼@22⅜c; Dec., 22¼@22⅜c; May, 23¾@23⅞c

Pork—Nov., $8.20; Dec., $8.20; Jan., $9.60; May, $9.67.

Lard—Nov., $5.02½; Dec., $5.02½@5.10; Jan., $5.22½; May, $5.37½.

Ribs—Nov., $4.85; Dec., $4.85@4.87½; Jan., $4.95

Flax—Cash N. W., $1.27¾, Cash S. W., $1.27¼; Dec., $1.27½; May, $1.27½

CHICAGO LIVE STOCK

Chicago, Nov. 11.—Cattle—Receipts, 400. Market steady; yards well cleared. Beeves, $4.40@6.60; cows, $3.40@4.60; heifers, $3.10@5.20; canners, $1.85@3.00; stockers and feeders, $3.00@4.15; Texas grass steers, $3.25@4.10; Texas fed beeves, $4.20@5.50; westerns, $4.00@5.30.

Hogs—Receipts today, 20,000; Monday, 33,000; left over, 2,453. Market generally 5c lower. Mixed and butchers, $3.95@4.35; good to choice heavy, $4.00@4.25; rough heavy, $3.85@3.95; light, $3.95@4.20; bulk of sales, $4.05@4.70.

THE DAY ON WALL STREET.

New York, Nov. 11.—Higher quotations from London served to hold up prices of railroads, but a number of the specialties were inclined to heaviness, notably Manhattan, which dropped over a point, and Brooklyn Transit almost as much.

The market was irregular, independent movements of importance occurring in leading stocks. Railways, with but few exceptions, were advanced, but the local group, the Readings and some of the metal issues sagged sharply. In the industrial divisions Sugar, General Electric and Leather rose strongly, but People's Gas and Tobacco fell away. Toward 11 o'clock there was a sharp rally on the Traction stocks and conspicuous buying of the Grangers, but prices were not well held.

Prices broke after 11 o'clock and rallied before the bank statement, Tennessee Coal yielding ⅜. There were free offerings brought out by the bank statement, but declines were not severe in the railroad list. In Manhattan, Sugar, the Coalers, Tobacco, Metropolitan and Leather there was marked weakness, the extreme losses reaching from 2 to 3 points. The covering by the bears worked some sharp rallies. The closing was quiet and steady at small net losses except in the specialties.

THE MONEY MARKET.

New York, Nov. 11.—Money on call easier at 3 per cent; prime mercantile paper, 5@5¼ per cent; sterling exchange irregular with actual business in bankers' bills at $4.85¾@4.86 for demand and at $4.81½@4.81¾ for 60 days; posted rates, $4.82@4.83 and $4.86½@4.87; commercial bills, $4.81; silver certificates, 59½@60½c; bar silver, 59¼c; Mexican dollars, 47½c.

THE BOND MARKET.

New York, Nov. 11.—State bonds inactive; railroad bonds irregular; government bonds irregular:

U. S. 2s registered	100¾
U. S. 3s registered	108⅜
U. S. 3s coupon	108⅜
U. S. 4s registered (new)	129¾
U. S. 4s coupon (new)	129¾
U. S. 4s registered (old)	112¾
U. S. 4s coupon (old)	112¾
U. S. 5s registered	110⅞
U. S. 5s coupon	110⅞

COURT NEWS.

Charles Reprogle, whose jail sentence expired today, was arraigned for cruelty to animals before 'Squire France.

In the provoke case commenced by Frank Kritzer against his ex-wife, Maude Kritzer, a change of venue was taken from Justice France to Justice Rayhouser, of Washington township, who is hearing the evidence this afternoon.

The board of children's guardians held a meeting this afternoon in the law office of A. H. Bittinger.

Justice France fined Kate Sowers $1 and costs for assault and battery on Carrie Bellamy. Defendant entered a plea of guilty.

In Justice Bullerman's court William Sovine has filed an affidavit charging James Hathaway with assault and battery. The assault is alleged to have occurred last Thursday evening at a wedding in Eel River township. Hathaway attempted to force Sovine to drink a glass of adulterated beer and because Sovine wouldn'tdo it Hathaway threw the beer on him and committed an assault. The testimony is real racy.

Clayton Lindemuth, guardian of Benjamin F. Fonner, has been ordered by Judge O'Rourke to sell his ward's property.

Judge O'Rourke heard evidence in the case of Robert Mercer, guardian of Phoebe Catherine Van Horn vs. James Van Horn and Henry Eigenberg, a suit to set aside deed. The judge dismissed the case without prejudice at plaintiff's cost.

Maria Bahrdt et al. has commenced a partition suit against Christopher Bahrdt et al. C. W. Kuhne is plaintiff's attorney.

MADE ITS FIRST VISIT.

The county board of charaities and corrections began its visits of inspection to the public institutions this morning, going first to the county asylum and then to the orphans' home. The board is composed of Col. R. S. Robertson, George A. Gale, Dr C. B. Stemen, James B. White, Mrs. W. P. Cooper and Mrs. Rudisill. They will visit all the charitable and correctional institutions in the county and make reports to the judge of the circuit court, the county commissioners and the state board of charities and corrections.

ELKS TO SHOW FOR CHARITY

COMMITTEE IS NOW MAKING ARRANGEMENTS.

Haskell & Day Burlesque Circus—Fort Wayne Elks Will Be the Actors.

The Elks at the meeting last night decided to give an entertainment for charity in December and Louis Heilbroner, Sid C. Hubbard, Dr. W. W. Mungen, Dr. R. S. Viberg and A. Jaxtheimer were appointed a committee to make arrangements. Chairman Heilbroner has already arranged for Haskill & Day's burlesque circus. The Elks lodge will furnish the show people and Haskell & Day will furnish the costumes and the scenery. The entertainment will be given on two successive nights, the dates not having been definitely determined, although it is believed that December 11 and 12 will be selected. The show will be given in the Masonic Temple.

The entire profits of the entertainment are to be devoted to charity. Each winter the Elks give these charity entertainments and scores of families have been made happy every Christmas by their donations.

A committee was also appointed to prepare a program for the Elks memorial services to be held in the Masonic Temple on Sunday evening, December 3.

LUTHER'S BIRTHDAY.

The 416th anniversary of Luther's birth will be celebrated at Christ's Lutheran church, corner of Webster and Jefferson streets, Sunday evening, at 7:30 o'clock. The Sunday school will render the following program:

Organ Prelude.
Anthem.................By Choir
Song—"Marching On".........School
Scripture Lesson.
Gloria Patri.
Invocation..............By Pastor
Welcome Address........Grace Thain
Trio—"On to the Conflict"......
Georgie Ruhl, Clara Keys, Bessie Stout.
Song—"A Place in the Ranks for Me"...................School
Selection—"As He Hath Prospered Thee."
Song—"Our Country for the Christ"
.........................School
Recitation—"Missions" ....
..................Ethel Lechler
Recitation—"Two Spiders".......
..................Otto Seibert
Acrotics.....................Pastor
Song—"Our Home Mission Day"..
.........................School

HONORS FROM THE SOUTH.

Dr. W. H Myers, of this city, has accepted an invitation to present a paper before the Southern Surgical toward contamination from these asmeets in New Orleans early in December. His subject will be "Puerperal Septicaemia." The society is composed of the most eminent surgeons of the south and the invitation carries with it a high honor for Dr. Myers.

BAD RESULT OF CHILD'S PLAY

Lucinda Bauman, a little girl nine years of age, is now at Hope hospital receiving treatment for a serious nervous condition which resulted from "skipping the rope" excessively. The little one was an inmate of the orphans' home at Berne, and while at play with other children recently attempted to break the record by jumping the rope 1,000 times. The exertion from the protracted effort proved too severe, and after reaching more than 900 in the count the child collapsed. A nervous affection in some manner resembling paralysis involved the entire right side of her body, and she was rendered completely helpless. Treatment at the institution failed to help her and she was brought to the hospital in this city. She now appears to be improving slightly, but it will be several weeks before she recovers.

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Mr. John O. Atkinson, Independence, Mo., in a recent letter to Dr. Hartman, says: "My wife had been suffering from a complication of diseases for 25 years.

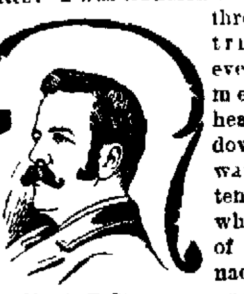
"Her case had baffled the skill of some of the most noted physicians. One of her worst troubles was chronic constipation of several years' standing. She also suffered with general debility and paroxysms—sometimes as often as six or eight times a day. At this time she was passing through that most critical period in the life of woman—change of life.

"In June, 1895, I wrote to you about her case. You advised a course of Pe-ru-na and Man-a-lin, which we at once commenced, and have to say it has completely cured her. She firmly believes that she would have been dead only for these wonderful remedies.

"About the same time I wrote you about my own case of catarrh, which was of 25 years' standing, and at times I was almost past going. I commenced using Pe-ru-na according to your instructions, and continued its use for about a year, and it has completely cured me.

"I have to say that your remedies do all you claim for them, and even more. Catarrh cannot exist where Pe-ru-na is taken according to directions. Man-a-lin is a most wonderful medicine for chronic constipation."

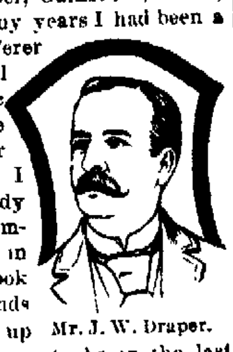
Mr. A. F. Stern, Marine City, Mich., writes: "I was troubled with catarrh for three years, and tried almost every catarrh medicine I heard of. I went down to Delaware, O., to attend college, where I got one of your Almanacs, and saw another remedy for catarrh. I was almost discouraged with trying all kinds of medicine, but my room-mate told me that your medicine was all right, and so I tried it. After taking seven bottles according to directions, I was cured and felt like a new man. I recommend it to all who are suffering with this dreadful disease. It is the best medicine for catarrh. I owe my health to you."



Mr. A. F. Stern.

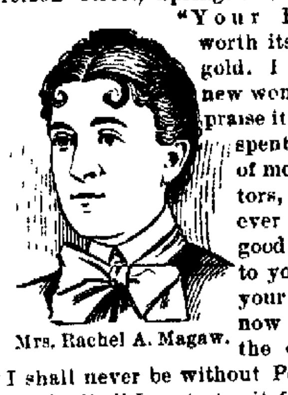
Mrs. J. A. Bashor, Knoxville, Tenn., writes: "My health was completely broken down and had been for almost a year. I could not rest day or night, but suffered constantly untold misery. Tried remedy after remedy, but found no relief until Pe-ru-na was recommended to me by a friend. I have taken one and a half bottles and am today well and hearty. I shall always praise Pe-ru-na, for I feel it saved my life."

Mr. J. W. Draper, Gainsboro, Tenn., writes: "For many years I had been a continual sufferer from that dreadful disease, chronic catarrh. I gave up hopes of ever being relieved. I tried every remedy my friends recommended, but all in vain. Finally I took my bed. My friends had all given me up to die, believing me to be in the last stages of consumption. Having a bottle of Pe-ru-na in the room, I began to take it, and in a few days felt so well that I got up. I continued it, improving all the time, until I am now almost a sound man. Can do as hard a day's work as almost any man. This happened four years ago."



Mr. J. W. Draper.

Mrs. Rachel A. Magaw, 67 West Jefferson street, Springfield, O., writes: "Your Pe-ru-na is worth its weight in gold. I feel like a new woman. I can't praise it enough. I spent a great deal of money on doctors, but nothing ever did me any good until I sent to you and tried your Pe-ru-na. I now feel well of the catarrh, but I shall never be without Pe-ru-na, and shall tell all I see to try it, for I know it to be a sure cure for catarrh. I can't praise it enough for what it has done for me."



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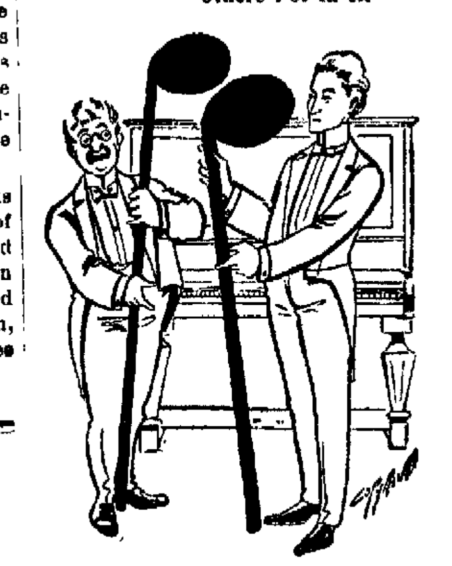

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DR. TALMAGE'S SERMON.

AN INSPIRING SERMON ON THE HOME THAT WAS NOT MADE WITH HANDS.

Washington, Nov. 9.- In a unique way the heavenly world is discoursed upon, by Dr. Talmage, in this sermon under the figure of a home. Text: John xiv., 2. "In my Father's house are many rooms."

Here is a bottle of medicine that is a cure-all. The disciples were sad, and Christ offered heaven as an alterative, a stimulant and a tonic. He shows them that their sorrows are only a dark background of a bright picture of coming felicity. He lets them know that though now they live on the lowlands, they shall yet have a house on the uplands. Nearly all the Bible descriptions of heaven may be figurative. I am not positive that in all heaven there is a literal crown or harp or pearly gate or throne or chariot. They may be only used to illustrate the glories of the place, but how well they do it! The favorite symbol by which the Bible presents celestial happiness is a house. Paul, who never owned a house, although he hired one for two years in Italy, speaks of heaven as a "house not made with hands," and Christ in our text, the translation of which is a little changed, so as to give the more acurate meaning, says: "In my Father's house are many rooms."

Millennia ago God built on the hills of heaven a great homestead for a family innumerable, yet to be. At first he lived alone in that great house, but after awhile it was occupied by a very large family, cherubic, seraphic, angelic. The eternities passed on, and many of the inhabitants became wayward and left, never to return, and many of the apartments were vacated. I refer to the fallen angels. Now these apartments are filling up again. There are arrivals at the old homestead of God's children every day, and the day will come when there will be no unoccupied room in all the house.

MANY APARTMENTS.

As you and I expect to enter it and make there eternal residence, I thought you would like to get some more particulars about the many-roomed homestead. "In my Father's house are many rooms." You see the place is to be apportioned off into apartments. We shall love all who are in heaven, but there are some very good people whom we would not want to live with in the same room. They may be better than we are, but they are of a different temperament. We would like to meet with them on the golden streets, and worship with them in the temple, and walk with them on the river banks, but I am glad to say that we shall live in different apartments. "In my Father's house are many rooms." You see, heaven will be so large that if one wants an entire room to himself or herself it can be afforded.

An ingenious statistician, taking the statement made in Revelation, twenty-first chapter, that the heavenly Jerusalem was measured and found to be 12,000 furlongs, and the length and heighth and breadth of it are equal, says that would make heaven in size 948 sextillion, 998 quintillion cubic feet; and then reserving a certain portion for the court of heaven and the streets, and estimating that the world may last 100,000 years, he cipbers out that there are over five trillion rooms, each room seventeen feet long, sixteen feet wide and fifteen feet high. But I have no faith in the accuracy of that calculation. He makes the rooms too small. From all I can read, the rooms will be palatial, and those who have not had enough room in this world will have plenty of room at the last.

WORLD IS CROWDED.

The fact is, that most people in this world are crowded, and though on a vast prairie or in a mountain district people may have more room than they want, in most cases it is house built close to house, and the streets are crowded, and the cradle is crowded by other cradles, and the graves crowded in the cemetery by other graves, and one of the richest luxuries of many people in getting out of this world will be the gaining of unhindered and uncramped room. And I should not wonder if, instead of the room that the statistician ciphered out as only seventeen by sixteen feet, it should be larger than any of the rooms at Berlin, St. James of Windsor Palace. "In my Father's house are many rooms."

Carrying out still further the symbolism of the text, let us join hand and go up to this majestic homestead and see for ourselves. As we ascend the golden steps an invisible guardsman swings open the front door, and we are ushered to the right into the reception room of the old homestead. That is the place where we first met the welcome of heaven. There must be a place where the departed spirit enters and a place in which it confronts the inhabitants celestial. The reception of the newly arrived from this world what scenes it must have witnessed since the first guest arrived, the victim of the first fratricide, pious Abel! In that room Christ lovingly greets all newcomers. He redeemed them, and He has the right to the first embrace on arrival. What a minute when the ascending spirit first sees the Lord! Better than all we ever read about Him, or talked about Him, or sang about Him in all the churches and through all our earthly lifetime, will it be, just for one second to see Him.

HISTORY'S MIGHTIEST MOMENT

The most rapturous idea we ever had of Him on sacramental days or at the height of some great revival, or under the uplifted baton of an oratorio, are a bankruptcy of thought compared with the first flash of His appearance in that reception room. At that moment when you confront each other, Christ looking upon you and you looking upon Christ, there will be an ecstatic thrill and surging of emotion that beggars all description. Look! They need no introduction. Long ago Christ chose that repentant sinner, and that repentant sinner chose Christ. Mightiest moment of an immortal history the first kiss of heaven! Jesus and the soul. The soul and Jesus.

But now into that reception room pour the glorified kinfolk. Enough of earthly retention to let you know them, but without their wounds or their sicknesses or their troubles. See what heaven has done for them! so radiant, so gleeful, so transportingly lovely! They call you by name, they greet you with an ardor proportioned to the anguish of your parting and the length of your separation. Father! Mother! There is your child. Sisters! Brothers! Friends! I wish you joy. For years apart, together again in the reception room of the old homestead. You see they will know you are coming. There are so many immortals filling all the spaces between here and heaven that news like that flies like lightning. They will be there in an instant, though they were in some other world on an errand from God, a signal would be thrown that would fetch them. Though you might at first feel dazed and overawed at their supernal splendors, all that feeling will be gone at their first touch of heavenly salutation, and we will say: "Oh, my lost boy!" "Oh, my lost friend, and we are here together?"

REUNION OF SAINTS.

What scenes in that reception room of the old homestead have been witnessed! There met Joseph and Jacob, finding it a brighter room than anything they saw in Pharaoh's palace; David and the little child for whom he once fasted and wept; Mary and Lazarus after the heartbreak of Bethany; Timothy and grandmother Lois; Isabella Graham and her sailor son; Alfred and George Cookman, the mystery of the sea at last made manifest; Luther and Magdalene, the daughter he bemoaned; John Howard and the prisoners whom he gospelled; and multitudes without number who, once so weary and so sad, parted on earth but gloriously met in heaven. Among all the rooms of that house there is no one that more enraptures my soul than that reception room. "In my Father's house are many rooms."

Another room in our Father's house is the throne room. We belong to the royal family. The blood of King Jesus flows in our veins, so we have a right to enter the throne room. We have every thing on earth to get through even the outside door of a King's residence. During the Franco-German war, one eventide in the summer of 1870, I stood admiring the exquisite sculpturing on the gate of the Tuileries, Paris. Not in admiration of the wonderful work of the gate, I know not that I was cautioned against suspicion. Lowering upon the crowds of people, I found myself being closely inspected by the government officials, who, from my complexion, judged me to be a German, and that for some belligerent purpose I might be examining the gates of the palace. My explanation in very poor French did not satisfy them, and they followed me long distances until I reached my hotel, and were not satisfied until from my landlord they found that I was only an inoffensive American.

Another room in our Father's house is the music room. St. John and other Bible writers talk so much about the music of heaven that there must be music there, perhaps not such as on earth was thrummed from trembling strings or evoked by touch of ivory keys, but if not that, then something better. There are so many Christian harpists and Christian composers and Christian organists and Christian choristers and Christian hymnologists that have gone up from earth, there must be for them some place of especial delectation. Shall we have music in this world of discords, and no music in the land of complete harmony? I cannot give you the notes of the first bar of the new song that is sung in heaven. I cannot imagine either the solo or the doxology. But heaven means music, and can mean nothing else. Occasionally that music has escaped the gate. Dr. Fuller, dying at Beaufort, S. C., said: "Do you not hear?" "Hear what?" "The music! Lift me up! Open the windows!"

HEADQUARTERS OF RHYTHM.

In that music room of our Father's house you will some day meet the old masters, Mozart and Handel and Mendelssohn and Beethoven and Doddridge, whose sacred poetry was as remarkable as his sacred prose; and James Montgomery and William Cowper, at last got rid of his spiritual melancholy; and Bishop Heber, who sang of "Greenland's icy mountains and India's coral strand;" and Dr. Raffles, who wrote of "High in Yonder Realms of Light;" and Isaac Waits, who went to visit Sir Thomas Abney and wife for a week, but proved himself so agreeable a guest that they made him stay thirty-six years; and side by side Augustus Toplady, who has got over his dislike for Methodists, and Charles Wesley, freed from his dislike for Calvinists; and George W. Bethune, as great as a song maker as he was great as a preacher, and the author of "The Village Hymns," and many who wrote in verse or song in church or by eventide cradle; and many who were passionately fond of music but could make none themselves. The poorest singer there more than any earthly prima donna, and the poorest player there more than any earthly Gottschalk. Oh, that music room, the headquarters of cadence and rhythm, symphony and chant, psalm and antiphon! May we be there some hour when Haydn sits at the keys of one of his own oratorios, and David, the psalmist, fingers the harp, and Miriam of the Red Sea banks claps the cymbals, and Gabriel puts his lips to the trumpet and the four and twenty elders chant, and Lind and Parepa render matchless duet in the music room of the old heavenly homestead. "In my Father's house are many rooms."

THE FAMILY ROOM.

Another room in our Father's house will be the family room. It may correspond somewhat with the family room on earth. At morning and evening, you know, that is the place we now meet. Though every member of the household have a separate room, in the family room they all gather, and joys and sorrows and experiences of all styles are there rehearsed. Sacred room in all our dwellings! whether it be luxurious with ottomans and divans and books in Russian lids standing in mahogany case, or there be only a few plain chairs and a cradle. So the family room on high will be the place where the kinfolk assemble and talk over the family experiences of earth, the weddings, the births, the burials, the festal days of Christmas and Thanksgiving reunion. Will the children departed remain children there? Will the aged remain aged there? Oh, no; everything is perfect there. The child will go ahead to glorified maturity, and the aged will go back to glorified maturity. The rising sun of the one will rise to meridian, and the descending sun of the other will return to meridian. However much we loved our children on earth we would consider it a domestic disaster if they stayed children, and so we rejoice in their growth here. And when we meet in the family room of our Father's house we will be glad that they have grandly and gloriously matured; while our parents, who were aged and infirm here, we shall be glad to find restored to the best smile and vigorous immortality there. If forty or forty-five or fifty years be the apex of physical and mental life on earth then the heavenly childhood will advance to that, and the heavenly old age will retreat to that. When we join them in that family room we shall have much to tell them. We shall want to know of them, right away, such things as these: Did you see us in this or that or the other struggle? Did you know when we lost our property, and sympathize with us? Did you know we had that awful sickness? Were you hovering anywhere around us when we plunged into that memorable accident? Did you know of our back-sliding? Did you know of that moral victory? Were you pleased when we started for heaven? Did you celebrate the hour of our conversion?

WILL BE NO SECRETS.

And then, whether they know it or not, we will tell them all. But they will have more to tell us than we to tell them. Ten years on earth may be very eventful, but what must be the biography of ten years in heaven? They will have to tell us the story of coronations, story of news from all immensity, story of conquerors and bicarchs, story of wrecked or handsomed planets, story of angelic victory over diabolic revolts, of extinguished suns, of obliterated constellations, of new galaxies kindled and swung, of strayed comets, of worlds of fire, and story of Jehovah's majestic reign. If in that famiy room of our Father's house we have so much to tell them of what we have passed through since we parted, how much more thrilling and arousing that which they have to tell us of what they have passed through since we parted. Surely that family room will be one of the most favored rooms in all our Father's house. What long lingering there, for we shall never again be in a hurry! "Let me open a window," said an humble Christian servant to Lady Raffles, who, because of the death of her child, had shut herself up in a dark room, and refused to see anyone. "You have been many days in this dark room. Are you not ashamed to grieve in this manner, when you ought to be thankful to God for having given you the most beautiful child that ever was seen, and instead of leaving him in this world till he should be worn with trouble, has not God taken him to heaven in all his beauty! Leave off weeping, and let me open a window." So today I am trying to open upon the darkness of earthly separation the windows and doors and rooms of the heavenly homestead. "In my Father's house are many rooms."

How would it do for my sermon to leave you in that family room today? I am sure there is no room in which you would rather stay than in the enraptured circle of your ascended and glorified kinsfolk. We might visit other rooms in our Father's house. There may be picture galleries peopled not with earthly art but by some process unknown in this world, preserving for the next world the brightest and most stupendous scenes of human history. And there may be lines and forms of earthly beauty preserved for heavenly inspection in something whiter, and chaster, and richer than Venetian sculpture ever wrought. Rooms beside rooms. Rooms over rooms. Large rooms, majestic rooms, opalescent rooms, amethystine rooms. "In my Father's house are many rooms."

I hope none of us will be disappointed about getting there. There is a room for us if we will go and take it, but in order to reach it, it is absolutely necessary that we take the right way, and Christ is the way; and we must enter at the right door, and Christ is the door; and we must start in time, and the only hour you are sure of is the hour the clock now strikes, and the only second the one your watch is now ticking. I hold in my hand a roll of letters inviting you all to make that your home forever. The New Testament is only a roll of letters inviting you, as the spirit of them practically says: "My dying, yet immortal, child in earthly neighborhood, I must build for you a great residence. It is full of rooms. I have furnished them as no palace was ever furnished. Pearls are nothing, emeralds are nothing, chrysoprasus is nothing, illumined panels of sunrise and sunset nothing, the aurora of the northern heavens nothing, compared with the splendor with which I have garnitured them. But you must be clean before you can enter there, and so I have opened a fountain where you may wash all your sins away. Come now! Put your weary, but cleansed feet on the upward pathway. Do you not see among the thick foliage on the heavenly hilltops the old family homestead?" "In my Father's house are many rooms."

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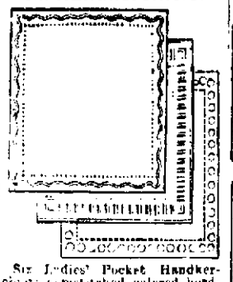

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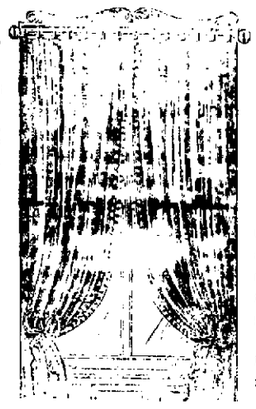

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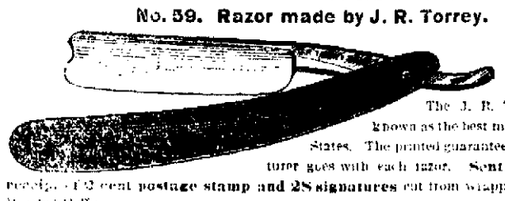

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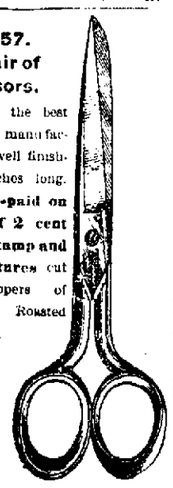

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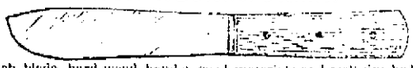

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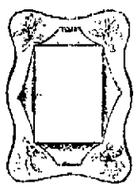

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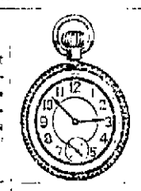

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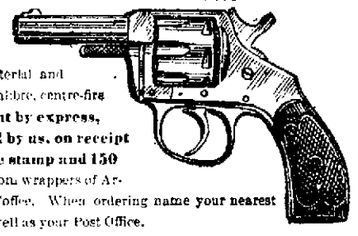

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[Chicago Tribune.]

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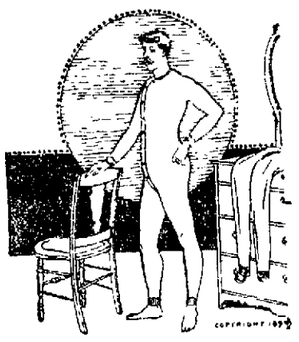

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LOCAL NEWS.

Miss Mary Foster, of Terre Haute, is the guest of Mrs. S. M. Foster.

Miss Mary Mayhew entertained Friday in honor of Mrs. George Esmond.

Dr. S. E. Mentzer, of Monroeville, transacted business in Fort Wayne Friday.

Mrs. C. Nessel entertained Thursday evening in honor of her birthday anniversary.

Mrs. J. A. Hetrick and Miss Ida Kirkham have returned from a visit in Columbia City.

Mr. and Mrs. Adolph Ober and Miss Bessie Eckert are visiting friends in Lima, Ohio.

Mrs. Frank Donnett, of West Fourth street, fell down stairs and sustained painful injuries.

Miss FloraJones has returned from Columbia City, where she was the guest of Miss Laura Kniseley.

Miss Elsie Field, of this city, has been the guest during the week of the family of Rev. Hollopeter.

Miss Clara Gerardot, who is employed in Fort Wayne, spent the week at her home near Tillmans.

Mrs. L. Miller and daughter are home from a visit with Mr. and Mrs. Will Erdman, of Columbia City.

Frank Hopengardner and George Herbert Bowers, of this city, transacted business in Ossian this week.

The Fort Wayne Lotus Group nonsectarian Sunday school will be held Sunday afternoon in Vordermark's hall.

Mrs. Virginia Allen came to Fort Wayne from Huntington Friday and will visit here. She may return to Jamestown, N. Y.

A number of friends of Miss Bessie Bowman surprised her at her home Thursday evening to remind her of her birthday anniversary. A most pleasant evening was spent.

Columbia City Post: "Sam Kramer was in Fort Wayne this forenoon assisting Undertaker Stewart in exhuming the remains of a sister that has been buried for over thirty years. Stewart made the trip overland and brought the remains to this city, where they were buried in the Jewish cemetery."

At Hicksville, Ohio, last Tuesday, workmen removed from the ground the stub of an old hickory pole which had been erected by the late Hon. A. P. Edgerton during the memorable Lincoln-Douglass campaign. It was recalled that on the day the pole was erected a horse ran away and broke its neck against the pole.

BURIAL AT CHICAGO.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernst Peters and William, Fred, Henry and H. F. Hilgeman are at Chicago attending the funeral of the late Ernst Hilgeman. It has been decided to have the interment at Chicago, instead of bringing the remains to this city as was at first intended.

ARE AT CLEVELAND.

The Fort Wayne Traction company, the new organization owning the street railway, will have its general offices in the Wade building, on Superior street, in Cleveland, though the operating offices will be in Fort Wayne. All the officers of the company and all the directors save one, Hon. J. H. Bass, are Cleveland gentlemen.

THE STARRY SHOWER.

A good deal of interest is manifested in the promised meteoric display which is scheduled to arrive during the coming week, and many Fort Wayne people will anxiously await the inauguration of the sublime celestial phenomenon which has been thirty-thiee years in reaching us. None of the Leonids are expected before Sunday morning and the display is not likely to be general at the first appearance. The astronomers say that from 2 to 5 o'clock on the morning of November 15 will be the most favorable time for seeing the meteors.

SENATOR ELLISON'S ADDRESS.

"Our Toiling Children" was the subject of an address before the Home Coterie Friday evening by Hon. T. E. Ellison. In his treatment of the subject Mr. Ellison pointed out a number of ways in which he believed those who are interested in the welfare of the young could better existing conditions. He believed the employment of boys by messenger companies, especially at night, was corrupting to the morals. They are compelled to go often to the worst haunts of vice at all hours of the night in the discharge of their duties, and the tendency was and Gynaecological society, which sociations. Some attention was given to the employment of young children in factories, a system which, however, is not so prevalent in Fort Wayne as elsewhere in the state. Senator Ellison is also of the opinion that in the present system of study in the public schools there is danger of positive physical detriment and hindrance to real mental progress. He believes too many branches are taught and the hours of study too long. Senator Ellison's address was well received.

THE BOY PHENOMENON.

To Demonstrate His Power at the Masonic Temple Next Week.

The Boy Phenomenon who is to demonstrate his healing powers at the Masonic Temple next week, is thus spoken of by the Bethlehem Times, in which place he has recently been creating great interest by many wonderful cures of well known citizens.

Another immense audience greeted the "Boy Phenomenon" at the opera house last night. In fact, several hundred people were unable to gain admission. The feats accomplished by the magnetic healer were as wonderfully surprising as those of the previous evening. All kinds of infirmities were represented among the thirteen patients who were publicly treated on the stage last night. In every case the sufferer was benefitted, and the work of the "Phenomenon" greeted with loud applause.

One of the best known of those who asked for treatment last night was Mr. Quinn, a young man who is badly crippled with rheumatism. At times he is scarcely able to walk. This morning he danced jigs on street corners to show that the magnetic treatment was driving the rheumatics far away. Mr. Quinn is loud in his praises of the wonderful doctor and never tires telling how the treatment made him "feel better all over."

OBITUARY.

Miss Bessie Shive died Monday morning at 9.40 o'clock. Death was due to consumption. Bessie had many friends, who were grieved to learn of her death. None knew her but to love her. A short time ago she was baptized and united with the United Brethren church. A few hours before she died she bid her sorrowing relatives and friends goodbye and asked them to meet her in heaven. Her parents and one sister passed to the better world several years ago. Since that time Bessie had made her home with her grandparents. One brother survives her.

Miss Bessie May Shive was born in Allen county, Indiana, on the 15th day of November, 1879, and died on the 6th day of November, 1899, her age being 19 years, 11 months and 21 days. The funeral took place Wednesday morning. The cortege left the residence at 10 10 o'clock and the services were held at the United Brethren church. Rev D. M. Lutrell conducted the obsequies. The interment was made at Prairie Grove cemetery. The pall bearers were the Misses Ina Dalman, Lida Hoke, Flora Swank, Emma Landstoffer, Cora Prince and Mamie Grider.

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Fred Eckart is at home from a business trip to Cincinnati.

Eddie, the five year old son of Mrs. Louis Mandell, of East Washington street, fell from a chair Friday and broke his right wrist.

Quail, Lobsters, Blue Points Oysters, Wienerworst and all sea goods and sea weeds at the Wellington Cafe.

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WANTED—If you want to borrow money, see "ad" on second page, first column. Room 3, Arcade, up stairs. 13-tf

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BY E. A. K. HACKETT.

SATURDAY, NOV. 11, 1899.

TONIGHT

Volunteers of America—Religious services in the Nuttle block, 50 Harrison street.
Royal League—Special meeting
Lodges—Mad Anthony Hive No 27, Rathbone Sisters.
Masonic Temple—"The Telephone Girl."

A literary note of rare timeliness is to be found in a book by Justice Lawrence, of Griqualand, in which he says that while the Dutch farmers read nothing but the Bible, the favorite writers in Cape Colony are Ouida and the author of "Mr. Barnes of New York." In view of recent successes of the Boers on the field of battle, this points clearly to the deduction that it is better to learn the science of military tactics from actual practice than to get it out of books on the subject.

A serious charge was made against baby carriages, at a meeting of the New York city park board, a day or two ago. The question under discussion was the allowing of automobiles in the park, and one horseman said incidentally that the object which frightened his horse the oftenest was a baby carriage. He declared that bay carriages were worse than 500 elephants in their effect upon the nerves of horses. His assertions were not denied, probably, because there were no women at the meeting.

It is no new thing for the newspaper dispatches to anticipate the official reports of army movements, but it is not often that a military "press censor" not merely intercepts a newspaper correspondent's dispatch, but forwards it as official. This is what happened the other day in South Africa, when Sir Redvers Buller forwarded to the war office what he called a "press censor's telegram brought in by a Kaffir runner." Afterwards he learned and cabled to London that "the information contained in my telegram of today was obtained from Ladysmith through the energy of the newspaper correspondent of the Daily Telegraph" to which paper the war office promptly communicated this fact with an appropriate acknowledgment. Newspaper service in war times and especially in this African war, is enormously difficult and expensive, and it is rather hard on the Telegraph to have its own dispatches made public property in this way. It got the news, however, along with everybody else and it has not lost the glory of its "beat" after all. On the contrary, the incident has drawn especial attention to the energy of its correspondent and given it a good advertisement. The Kaffir runner was probably to blame for the misdirection of the dispatch. General Buller evidently had no intention of stealing news.

A determined effort is to be made to depose Senator Mark Hanna from the chairmanship of the republican national committee before the presidential campaign is under way. The movement has its inception in Washington among republicans who may be called administration men, so far as devotion to President McKinley is concerned, but who are not bound by those ties of appointment to office that make them think that Hanna is a sacred being because he is one of Mr. McKinley's best friends. Now that it has been shown by the state elections that Mr. McKinley has joined that galaxy known in history as "logical candidates," and is almost certain to again be the republican nominee, the politicians who concede this much are turning their attention to matters that in their opinion will have to be attended to to insure his election. And the very first thing, with returns yet to come in from remote counties, attention has turned to Mark Hanna, for whom, as well as the president, vindication and endorsement are sought to be made apparent from Nash's great plurality in Ohio—in some quarters. Those, however, who know the inside and the bottom of the Ohio situation see in the endorsement of Mr. McKinley much to convince them that Hanna is going to be as hard a load to carry in the coming national campaign as might have been the case had McLean been elected.

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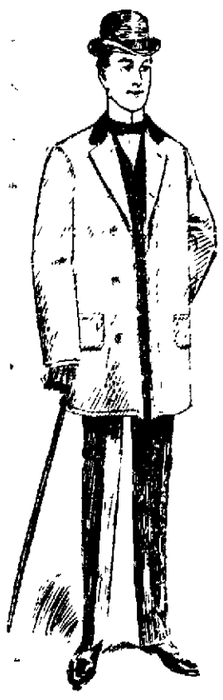

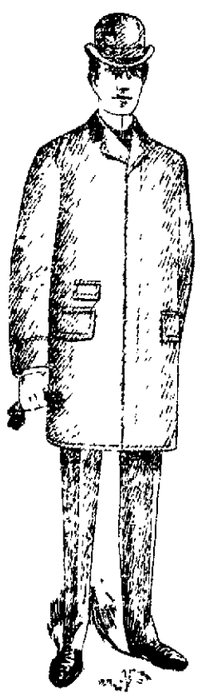

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Sabbath Sermons and Services in Fort Wayne Churches Tomorrow—Announcements.

First Church of Christ, Scientist—Services, 10:30 a. m., Sunday, subject, "Soul and Body."

Baptist Tabernacle—Pastor Henson will preach at 10:45 and Adjutant Shipway at night.

Salem Reformed—Sunday school at 9:30; morning service at 10:30; evening service at 7:30. The evening service will be in English. P. Ruhl, pastor.

The services at Trinity Episcopal church tomorrow will be: Holy communion, 8 a. m., morning prayer and sermon, 10:45, evening prayer and sermon, 7:30.

Railroad Young Men's Christian association—Day of prayer will be observed by holding service at 3 p. m. Preaching by Rev. L. L. Henson. Bible study class at 4 p. m.

Immanuel Baptist church, corner Clinton and Holman streets. Rev. S. H. Cain pastor—All services as usual. Morning subject, "Anointing the Saviour;" evening, "Christlike Ministrations."

Rev. J. E. Ramseyer, of Bluffton, Ohio, assisted by D. W. Kerr and wife, of Fort Wayne, will hold a gospel meeting at the Gospel Tabernacle, corner Clinton and Holman streets, Sabbath at 2:30 p. m.

Bethany Presbyterian church—Mr. E. A. K. Hackett will conduct morning service at 10:45. Messrs. Hackett and Yarnelle will conduct evening service at 7:30. Sunday school at 9:30 a. m.; Y. P. S. C. E. at 6:45 p. m.

Free Methodist church, East Creighton avenue—Services for the Sabbath as follows: Preaching at 10:30 and 7:30 by the pastor, Rev. P. W. Botts; class meeting at 9:30; Sabbath school at 3; Bible class taught by the pastor.

The pulpit of the South Congregational church will have for its themes, "Form versus Power" and "The Ideal Youthhood." Preaching at 10:15 a. m. and 7:30 p. m.; Bible school, 9:30; junior C. E., 3 p. m., and senior, 6:30. D. T. Williams, pastor.

At the West Jefferson Street Church of Christ services will be held as usual at 10:45 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. "A Stumbling Block of God's Own Appointment" will be the subject of the evening discourse. Special music at both services. P. J. Rice, minister.

All the services at Simpson M. E. church tomorrow as usual. The morning sermon will be on the Y. M. C. A. work. Subject, "Educating the Whole Man." The evening sermon will be another in the series, "Do Christians Believe in the Scriptures?"

Bethel Evangelical church, corner DeWald and Clinton streets—Sunday school at 9:30 a. m.; German preaching at 10:30, subject, "The Christian's Hope;" Y. P. A. at 6.30 p. m.; English preaching at 7:30 p. m., subject, "Our Service." J. H. Evans, pastor.

Calvary U. B. church, corner East Lewis and Harmer streets. J. W. Lake, pastor. Sunday services. Sunday school, 9:30 a. m.; Y. P. C. U., 6:30 p. m., preaching services, 10.30 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. Free seats, good singing and a hearty welcome to all.

Christ's Evan. (Gen. Syn. Eng.) Lutheran church, Webster and Jefferson streets, L. J. Motschman, pastor—Sunday school at 9:30 a. m.; C. E. at 6:30 p. m.; preaching at 10:45 a. m., subject, "Life in the Blood." At 7:30 the Sunday school will render a "Luther Day Home Mission" service.

First Presbyterian church. Rev. D. W. Moffat, D. D., pastor. Sermon for young men at 10:45 a. m., theme, "The Virtuous Life." The sacred cantata, "The Holy City," will be rendered by the choir, assisted by other singers at 3:30 p. m. Y. P. S. C. E. at 6:30 p. m. No other evening service.

At Westminster church, at 7:30 p. m., Rev. J. L. Leeper will take his hearers to the ruins of Herodium, the ruins of a city built by and named after Herod, the Great. From the top of this highest mountain in Palestine, on which it was built, a survey of the Holy Land will be taken. The view includes fully one-third or one-half of all Palestine or more than Moses saw from Mount Nebo. The pictures shown by the new electric light stereopticon are from photographs taken upon the spot. Sermon at 10:30 a. m., "The Goodliest Pearl." Sunday school, 12 m.; Jr. C. E., 3 p. m., Sr. C. E., 6:30 p. m.

St. Paul M. E. church, Rev. M. C. Cooper, pastor—Tomorrow will be missionary day at the St. Paul church. Class meeting at 9:30. At 10:30 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. the pastor will be assisted in the services by Rev. Joseph Ramseyer and Rev. and Mrs. Kerr; junior Epworth league meeting at 2.15; Sunday school at 3 o'clock, and Epworth league devotional meeting at 7 o'clock. Let there be a great rally in the interests of the benevolences of the church.

Services in Plymouth Congregational church at 10:45 a. m. and 7:30 p. m., morning sermon, "Amos the Prophet of Righteousness;" evening sermon, "Christianity and Young Men;" music, Miss Gibson. Sunday school at 9:30 a. m., and Christian Endeavor at 6:30 p. m. Rev. J. Stuart Ainslie, minister.

Grace Reformed church, Rev. A. K. Zartman, D. D., pastor—Services at 10:30 a. m. tomorrow, subject, "Our Needs and Their Supply;" evening service, 7:30, topic, "The Young Man's Safeguard." The choirs class of young people will sing at the evening service. Sabbath school, 9:30 a. m.; young people's meeting, 6:45 p. m.

Trinity M. E. church, corner Fourth and Cass streets—Public worship, with sermon by the pastor, Sherman Powell, at 10:30 and 7:30; morning "The Spirit and Aim of a Christian;" evening, "Real Consecration." The choir will render new special music at both services. Sunday school at 9:30; classes at 11:45; Epworth league at 6:30.

Matthias Worton, the Lake Shore section foreman who has charge of the division just north of the city, brought in some strawberry plants, gathered along the track, with buds, green and ripe fruit on them. This is probably the second crop produced by those vines and it is the first time on record when ripe wild strawberries were gathered hereabouts.

Third Presbyterian church, corner of Calhoun and Holman streets. Rev. J. A. P. McGaw, pastor. Subject of morning sermon: "The Mount of Prayer," third of a series on "Mountain Scenes in the Life of Our Lord." Evening, sermon to young men on "A Successful Young Man of the Olden Time." Home Sunday school at 9:30 a. m.; Covenant Bible school, 2:45 p. m.

The services at the Berry street M. E. church tomorrow will be as follows: Sunday school, 9:30 a. m.; preaching, 10:30, by Adjutant Shipway, of the Volunteers of America. There will be the reception of members at the morning service class, 11:45; junior league, 2:45; Epworth league devotional, 6:30 p. m.; sermon by the pastor, 7:30, subject, "The Frailty and Sinfulness of Man." Special music at each service. C. C. Cissell, pastor.

GERMAN LUTHERAN.

Emanuel Lutheran, West Jefferson street—Rev. C. Gross and Rev. Philip Wambsganss, jr., pastors. Sunday services, 10 a. m. and 7:30 p. m.; Sunday school, 2.30 p. m.

St. Paul's, on Barr street—Rev. Jacob Miller, pastor. Sunday services, 10 a. m. and 7:30 p. m.; Sunday school, 2:30 p. m.

Trinity, corner of Huffman and Oakland—Rev. J. A. Bohn, pastor. Sunday services, 10 a. m.; Sunday school, 2 30 p. m.

St. John's Evangelical Lutheran, corner West Washington and Van Buren—Rev. Henry P. Dannecker, pastor. Sunday services, 10 a. m.; 2 p. m. (in German); 7:30 p. m. (in English).

German Lutheran Zion's Congregational church, Creighton avenue and Hanna street—Rev. Henry Juengel, pastor. Services, 10 a. m. and 2 p. m. Sundays.

Grace church (German Evangelical), Gay and Pontiac streets—Rev. Miller, pastor. Sunday services, 10 a. m. and 2 p. m.; Sunday school, 2 p. m.

ROMAN CATHOLIC.

Cathedral of the Immaculate Conception—Rt. Rev. Joseph Rademacher, D. D., bishop; Very Rev. John Guendling, V. G., pastor; Rev. J. H. Bathe, chancellor; Rev. John Durham, assistant; Rev. P. J. O'Reilly, assistant. Masses at 6, 8, 8:30 (children's services) and 10:30 a. m.; Sunday school at 2 p. m.; vespers at 3 p. m.

St. Patrick's, corner DeWald and Harrison—Rev. Joseph F. Delaney, pastor; Rev. Thomas Mungovan, assistant. Sunday services: Mass at 7:45 and 10:30 a. m.; children's mass at 9 a. m.; vespers, 3 p. m.; Sunday school, 2 p. m.

St. Mary's (German), corner of Lafayette and Jefferson streets—Rev. John H. Oechtering, pastor; assistant, Rev. Gustave Hottenroth. Sunday services, 8 and 10 a. m. and 2:30 p. m.; Sunday school, 2 p. m.

St. Paul's (German), corner West Washington and Griffith—Rev. F. J. H. Kroll, pastor. Services, 10 a. m. and 2 p. m.

St. Joseph's chapel (in connection with St. Joseph's hospital)—Rev. Thomas Eisenring, C. S. S., chaplain. Sunday services, 10 a. m. and 4 p. m.; weekly services, 8 a. m.

St. Peter's (German), corner East DeWald and Warsaw—Rev. Ferdinand Koerdt, pastor. Sunday services, 7:45 and 9:45 a. m. and 2:30 p. m.; Sunday school, 2 p. m.

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MOST IMPORTANT EVENTS IN MEDICAL HISTORY

DURING THE NINETEENTH CENTURY

THE TRUE VALUE OF EACH NEW DISCOVERY AS A PREVENTIVE OF DISEASE.

1846 DISCOVERY OF ETHER AS AN ANÆSTHETIC.
1860 DISCOVERY OF COCAINE.
1879 DISCOVERY OF THE BACILLUS OF TYPHOID FEVER.
1882 DISCOVERY OF THE BACILLUS OF CONSUMPTION.
1883 DISCOVERY OF THE BACILLUS OF DIPHTHERIA.
1892 BEHRING'S DISCOVERY OF ANTITOXINE OF DIPHTHERIA.
1895 DISCOVERY OF HYOMEI.
1896 FIRST CASE OF CONSUMPTION CURED BY HYOMEI.

The discovery of the first two, ether and cocaine, was of value to the medical profession only in surgery, and has been of no benefit, whatever, in preventing and curing diseases.

THE DISCOVERY OF THE BACILLUS OF TYPHOID FEVER,

however, was one of the greatest importance, for it proved conclusively that this was a germ disease and enabled the physicians to treat it as such. As a result of such treatment the death rate from typhoid fever has been reduced from 40 to 4½ during the past twenty years.

THE DISCOVERY OF THE BACILLUS OF DIPHTHERIA

was another valuable one, but as this bacillus could only be reached through the blood, none of the germicides known could be used with effect. It was not until 1892 when Behring discovered the antitoxine of diphtheria that any progress whatever was made in successfully treating this dread disease, since that time the injection of antitoxine directly into the blood has had a marked effect upon the death rate from diphtheria, and its universal use will undoubtedly in time stamp out this disease.

THE DISCOVERY OF THE BACILLUS OF CONSUMPTION

was the most important of all, for it completely changed the whole ideas of the medical profession regarding this disease. Heretofore consumption had always been considered hereditary; now, it is known to be infectious. The proof that consumption was a germ disease necessitated an entire change in the method of treatment. It was found that these germs lodged in the air passages and could only be reached through the air we breathe. As soon as this became known, efforts were made to force some of the liquid germicides into these air passages; but Nature had erected at the entrance of the bronchial tubes an impassable barrier to moisture of any kind. Sprays and vapors in every form were tried; but as in diphtheria, there was only one way of reaching the disease germs, through the air we breathe, and no dry air germicide was to be found. This state of affairs existed for twelve long years, the death rate increasing from 88,000 to 200,000 yearly. In 1895 Booth discovered "Hyomei," the first and only dry air germicide ever found. Later in the year he introduced it to the profession, and in 1896 the first case of

CONSUMPTION WAS CURED,

Mrs. E. A. Smith, of Holyoke, Mass., being advised by her physician to test it after she had been given up by all the noted physicians in the country. She was brought to Boston and placed in a room where only Hyomei could be inhaled in the air; at the end of two weeks she returned to Holyoke, but continued to use the inhaler for five months. This was three years ago; she is now in robust health and has had no return of the disease. No trace of consumptive bacillus could be found after the first month's treatment. This was the first case of genuine consumption ever known to have been cured; since that time hundreds have been saved. To-day there is not a city in the United States where Hyomei has been used that will not show a decrease of, at least, 34% in the death rate from consumption in the past two years, yet it is not the

NUMBER OF CONSUMPTIVES CURED

which shows the great value of the new discovery, but rather in its prevention of the disease. Eight out of every ten cases of consumption are found to originate from catarrh, bronchitis and pneumonia, the air passages become inflamed and the bacillus of consumption inhaled in the air we breathe finds lodging there; they increase by the thousands and soon invade the lungs where it has always been found impossible to reach them until Hyomei was discovered. Catarrh, Bronchitis, Pneumonia and Coughs cannot exist where Hyomei is used; thus it is within the power of anyone to prevent consumption. Of course there have been hundreds of imitations of Hyomei; but their life was short. To prevent further mistakes it is only

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COMPANY NOW LOOKING INTO THE PROPOSITION.

Mr. Emmons. general factory manager at Sshenectady for the General Electric company, arrived in the city this morning and will spend several days here in consultation with Mr. Woods, manager of the local works. In addition to the usual line of work, Mr. Woods has been offered over $1,000,000 worth of work annually in the line of street car motors, but he cannot undertake to do it unless his factory facilities are increased. Mr. Emmons' visit is for the purpose of looking over the field and determining what is needed in the way of additions to enable the Fort Wayne works to engage in the manufacture of car motors. It is quite likely that he will consider the completion of the extensive addition commenced two or three years ago a necessity, and if he so recommends, it will be built at once.

The Fort Wayne Electric works are doing a much larger business than Mr. Woods or any of the other interested parties expected, and none are more surprised than the General Electric company, who own them. The last pay roll was the largest in the history of the works. The number of employes has passed the 400 mark and will soon be crowding the 500 mark, yet there are orders enough on the books to keep every man employed two months, even if no more were taken. And we are informed that the business is conducted upon a paying basis, which is a very important matter, inasmuch as the maintenance of the shops in this city depend entirely upon their profit-yielding qualities. That they are to be perpetuated is proven by the General Electric company's quick response to all requests for financial aid in carrying out any plans for improvement suggested by Mr. Wood.

PUTTING IN POWER STATION.

The Grand Rapids and Indiana company is putting in its own electric light plant at Grand Rapids and a power station built upon the plan of the one now being installed in this city by the Pennsylvania company will be built. The work will be done under the supervision of A. C. Davis, of this city, who assisted in building this plant.

MR. BARNES HERE.

J. B. Barnes superintendent of motive power of the Wabash, is in the city on business connected with the proposed shop addition. Mr. Barnes feels rather jubilant over the fact that the addition is to be constructed upon an extensive scale, thereby greatly increasing the shop facilities. The work will be pushed forward as rapidly as possible.

ACCIDENTS AT SHOP.

John Grider, an employe of the Wabash shops, had his left collar bone fractured and the flesh of his breast painfully bruised yesterday afternoon by being struck by a flue plug. He was attended by Dr. Sweringen, who says the injury will lay the man up for a few weeks.

William Horstmeyer, a carpenter, employed at the same shop, was struck by a small iron, which dropped from an elevation. A painful gash was cut above the right eye. Dr. M. F. Porter sewed up the wound.

WRECKED CARS LOOTED.

Hale Ellis, a detective of the Wabash railroad, has been spending a week at Wabash trying to run down the thieves who looted the wrecked cars, burst open in the terrific collision, three miles east of Wabash, two weeks ago. It is said that hundreds of dollars' worth of groceries were hauled away during the night, and several wagon-loads of valuable stuff have been located at Lagro. Much of the property may be recovered, and Ellis says there may be some sensational arrests before he gets through.

YARDS NEARING COMPLETION.

The new yards of the Wabash at Peru are rapidly nearing completion and will be ready for business in a short time. The Peru Journal says these yards will be the largest and best arranged of any owned by the company. There will be ten tracks and five of them are already finished. In the construction of the yards the company is using the old rails that were taken up when new rails were laid on the main line last summer. The section men employed on the road between Peru and Fort Wayne and Peru and Columbia City are doing the work. They are taken to Peru on a train in the morning and conveyed home in the same manner in the evening.

INSPECTION TOUR.

General Roadmaster Hoyt is making a tour over the Nickel Plate, inspecting the depots, water tanks and other property that comes within his province. He arrived in this city at 3 o'clock yesterday, having spent the greater portion of the day in inspecting the property between this city and Bellevue. He travels by special train.

THE COAL FAMINE.

There has been a slight improvement in the fuel situation on the roads in this part of the country, but news from some other cities indicates a serious state of affairs at some places. A Bloomington, Ill., dispatch reads as follows: "The scarcity of coal is causing serious embarrassment to the railroads centering at Bloomington. The Lake Erie and Western is taking every pound of coal that can be spared by the Bloomington mine after supplying their local orders. The Erie people are clamorous for more and the Bloomington operators are running at fullest capacity in the endeavor to meet the demands. But one car load of coal of local origin was shipped from Bloomington in October. For some time the Chicago and Alton have been obliged to confiscate coal in transit on their lines."

INDUSTRIAL NOTES.

A. R. Tegtmeyer and J. Kaiser, of the Pittsburg shops, are sick and off duty.

The electric works sent a big arc dynamo to Muskeegan, Mich., this morning.

Nickel Plate Engineer Robert John is sick and unable to take his place at the throttle.

Nickel Plate Engineer Daniel McFee has taken a few days' lay-off to visit friends in Ohio.

Wabash switch engine 22 is in the shops in this city, undergoing general repairs. She belongs to Peru.

D. Scheiman, of the Pittsburg pattern shop, is taking a few days' lay off to attend to some private business.

Mr. and Mrs. Bromelmeier moved into a pleasant house on Fry street yesterday. He is a Nickel Plate engineer.

C. F. Rodenbeck and G. W. Heine have returned from Peru, where they spent ten days in repairing Wabash engines.

There were turned out of the Pittsburg back shop during the week ending today engines 303, 44, 421, 246 and 157.

Charles Zuhrmullen has gone to Wabash to spend a few days with friends. He is employed in the Wabash shops.

Brakeman German, a new man on the Nickel Plate, has been temporarily assigned to a local freight run out of Bellevue.

Chief dispatcher of the Wabash, J. C. Sullivan, has returned to his duties at Peru, after a six weeks' rest on account of illness.

Nickel Plate Conductor George McCormick, who has been laying off to entertain his father, resumed his train duties yesterday.

Engineer Michael McCarthy, of the Nickel Plate, has returned from Pennsylvania, where he spent two weeks with old friends.

Passenger engine 175 went to the Stony Island shops yesterday for general repairs and her place in the service has been taken by engine 92.

Division Freight Agent W. A. Sprott and General Car Foreman Frank Howard, of the Wabash, were in the city today. They reside in Toledo.

S. W. Richards and Rev. John Green, night watchman and janitor respectively of the electric works, are hunting in the vicinity of Peabody today.

Fireman F. Roembke, of the Nickel Plate, resumed work yesterday. He had been off duty on account of the illness of his father, whose condition is improving.

C. W. Marshall, who had been helping out in the yards for a week or two, yesterday resumed his old place on the Nickel Plate—that of through freight brakeman.

It is stated that the earnings of the Ohio Connecting railroad per mile this year are the largest of any road in the world. Although a short line, the traffic over it daily is immense.

Blacksmith Charles Barnes, of the Pittsburg shops, went to Garrett, Ind., last night in response to a telegram informing him of the serious illness of his father, who is quite old.

Charles Clark, an apprentice at the Wabash machine shop, has resumed work after an absence of three months in Colorado. He went there in search of health and the trip was not a disappointment. He is now in good health.

Rudy Claymiller, an employe in the lamp department of the electric works, got his left hand in a punch machine last evening and the tip of the thumb was cut off.

Machinist George Jacoby resigned his place at the Bass works last night and will return to Milwaukee, Wis., his old home. He had been here only about three weeks.

G. W. Frye, of Upton, Pa., and J. D. Frye of Chambersburg, Pa., who had been visiting their brother, Conductor J. B. Frye, of this city, for a few days, have returned to their homes.

Machinist C. T. Shoup has accepted a permanent position in the Wabash round house at Peru and went to that city this morning to report for duty. He was employed in the shops in this city for several years.

William Poyser, a pattern maker at the Wabash shops, will join his wife and son at Toledo tonight and remain there a few days visiting relatives. Mrs. Poyser and the boy have been in that city for several days.

Frank Rehan, of Toledo, arrived in the city last night and this morning took the position in the Wabash blacksmith shop that was vacated a few days ago by John Baillie, when that gentleman took a position in the Pittsburg shops.

Guy Hughes will return to his old home, Montgomery, Mo., tonight. He came here a few months ago to work in the Wabash shops, but upon the receipt of a letter offering him his old position at Montgomery, he yesterday resigned and stated that he would return there.

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Men's 25c new Neckwear for 15c; Men's 35c new Neckwear for 21c; Men's 50c, 75c and $1.00 new Neckwear at 42c.

Boys' 25c and 35c Underwear at 15c and 21c.

Boys' 50c and 75c Underwear at 42c.

Boys' $1.00 Underwear at 59c.

Men's and Boys' 50c new fall style Shirts for 39c; Men's $1.00 and $1.50 new fall style Shirts for 89c.

Men's and Boys' 25c and 35c Working Shirts for 19c; Men's and Boys' 50c Working Shirts for 29c.

Men's 18c Wool Hose for 10c; Men's 25c Wool Hose for 15c; Men's 35c Wool Hose for 19c.

Men's 50c Overalls for 39c; 75c and $1.00 Overalls for 50c; Boys' Brownie Overalls at 21c.

10c Handkerchiefs for 4c and 5c; 15c grade, 7c; 25c grade, 15c.

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The Evening Sentinel.

SATURDAY, NOV. 11, 1899.

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THE WEATHER.

Chicago, Nov. 11.—Forecast for Indiana—Fair Sunday, preceded tonight by showers in extreme south portion; cooler tonight; northerly winds.

LOCAL LINES.

I. C. Brengle, of Huntington, is a Fort Wayne visitor.

G. S. McKee returned today from a business trip to Buffalo.

Mrs. D. V. Culbertson is at Port Clinton, Ohio, on a visit to her parents.

Mrs. J. W. Rabbitt, of 258 Clinton street, is seriously ill from appendicitis.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Englert are at home from a visit of two weeks at Louisville.

Judge John Williams, of Union City, Ind., is in the city today on a business trip.

The A. O. H. will meet tomorrow afternoon in Library hall to transact current business.

Mrs. Mollie Forbing, of Decatur, is visiting her aunt, Mrs. Franke, of St. Martins street.

Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Mertens, of Milwaukee, are visiting friends in the city for a few days.

Do not fail to read Dr. Talmage's sermon. "There are many rooms in Heaven." It is full of the inspiration of hope.

Mrs. Henrietta Fierce, who has been quite ill for three months, is able to be up and around, and will soon be in her usual health.

The Ladies' Auxiliary to the B. of R. T. will give a pawn social at the home of Mrs. John Perry, 59 Walnut street, next Thursday from 3 to 9 p. m.

Mr. and Mrs. John G. Baker, son Robert and daughter, Miss Henrietta, of 347 East Wayne street, left today for Paulding, Ohio, to visit friends a few days.

Rev. Miller, pastor of the St. Paul's Lutheran church, will preach in the English Lutheran Church of the Redeemer tomorrow morning in the absence of Rev. C. F. W. Meyer. There will be no evening service.

J. F. Rice, of Ada, Ohio, arrived in the city Friday to take his wife home. Mrs. Rice had been at Hope hospital for some time, where she underwent an operation, from which she has entirely recovered.

Richard Allen, of 62 Allegar street, was taken suddenly ill from vertigo while walking on Barr street Friday afternoon. He was removed in a carriage to Hope hospital, where he is under the care of Dr. G. C. Stemen.

G. Thompson, of the Bass shops, who had the misfortune to severely injure one of the fingers of the left hand last Monday, and who was compelled to take a week's lay off in consequence, will resume his duties Monday.

The "Ministerial Association" will meet in regular session Monday at 10 a. m. at the Berry street M. E. church. Rev. P. J. Rice will give a talk on "The Christian Missionary Convention," recently held in Cincinnati. J. W. Lake, secretary.

The Home Telephone company is doing some cable work in the east end of the city that will cut out those subscribers at the eastern limits a part of the day tomorrow. The work will be rushed as rapidly as possible in order that the service may not be interrupted a moment longer than necessary.

Robert Sherwin, a five-year-old boy residing at 104 Lafayette street, cut his knee severely Thursday evening. The boy was playing in an alley, when he fell on a broken beer bottle cutting a gash several inches long in his knee and laying bare the bone. Dr. McCausland was called and put four stitches in the wound.

Next Friday evening, at 8 o'clock, an entertainment will be given by the scholars of the Wayne township high school near the county asylum. There will be a box social, spelling matches, speeches and other exercises. Everybody is cordially invited to attend, as this is for the benefit of the Wayne Township Library association.

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Get UNCLE SAM Stamps.

LOST—Monkey fur collarette Thursday evening. Finder return to 10 West Berry street and receive reward.

John M. Norton, of Indianapolis, is a guest at the Wayne.

Mrs. Charles Wright, of Springfield, who was visiting her father, Rufus Rayhouser, left for her home this morning.

Thomas Snook, the contractor, is preparing to erect a handsome double modern residence at the corner of Jefferson and Griffith streets.

Perry C. Nobles, a dyer at the Wayne Knitting mills, is suffering from a severe injury to his right leg. While climbing over some flat cars to cross the Muncie tracks at Boone street Friday evening, his foot caught and he was thrown to the ground, receiving painful injuries.

Frances Shondel, twelve years old, living on Wayne street, was nearly choked to death while eating hickory nuts Friday evening. She was attending a social at the English Lutheran church and was playing about the yard when the shell lodged in her throat. Dr. G. C. Stemen was called and removed the obstruction.

THE WRONG MEDICINE.

Thousands of people yearly treat their ails with the wrong medicine. They are in the habit of jumping at the first "cure all" they see advertised and fancy they are going to be benefitted. People should use more caution in selecting their medicines. These are times when the country is flooded with the printed boasts of experimenters. Those who have piles in any form cannot be too careful in its treatment. The delicate membranes may receive injuries from humbug remedies that will lead to the most complicated eruptions. Pyramid Pile Cure is the safest remedy known to medical science. It purifies the affected parts, reduces the tumors and takes away the inflammation. If you are troubled, try it. It is prepared by the most skilled specialists who have made the curing of piles and kindred troubles a life study. It is now the best known pile remedy before the public. Thousands have been cured who have experimented for years with every other known remedy. Hundreds who have been treated surgically without results have been completely cured by Pyramid Pile Cure. Don't experiment with dangerous drugs nor run the risk of a painful surgical operation. This remedy is a prompt, perfect and permanent cure for the most persistent case of piles. It is manufactured by the Pyramid Drug Co. at Marshall, Mich., and has found its way into every wide-awake drug store on this continent. Your druggist has it. Ask for it and be cured of a disease which may lead to fatal complications.

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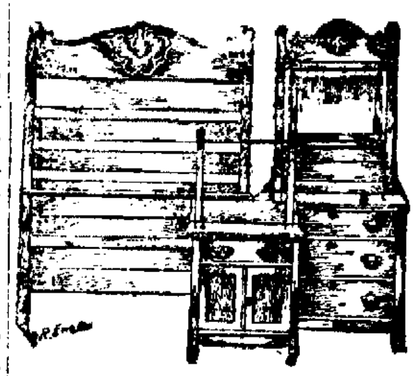

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SIX THOUSAND YEARS B. C.

DISCOVERIES IN EGYPT SHOW PARTIALLY CIVILIZED MAN EXISTED THERE EIGHTY CENTURIES AGO.

How long has man been on earth? The answer to this question is being modified by every turn of the explorer's spade. It was formerly considered certain that the world could not have been a habitable planet for more than 6,000 years. Geology had shown that millions of years must have been consumed in building it up before it became fit for human life. But during the past few years some of the most orthodox believers in this theory have been engaged upon excavations in Assyria and Egypt and what they have actually seen has forced them to set the date of human habitation of the earth back several thousand years. The expedition sent out by the University of Pennsylvania, which has been at work at Nuffer, has, through Prof. Hilprecht, its Assyriologist, set the date of 6000 or 7000 B. C. on some of the monuments discovered.

Now comes M. E. Amelineau to reenforce these dates by similarly startling discoveries in prehistoric Egypt. It should not be forgotten that the evidences from which the early history of Egypt has been deduced are very fragmentary and for long it has been questioned whether Menes, the earliest of the Pharaohs mentioned by Manetho, had ever existed. The discovery of his tomb has set that doubt at rest. But M. Amelineau has added oil to the flame of sensational discoveries by finding what he claims are the tombs of Osiris, Isis and other Egyptian deities. These were supposed to have been mere imaginery personifications of nature. The full report of these discoveries has not yet been published, but this revolutionary investigator has prepared the way to it by issuing the first volume of his account of the excavations at Abydos, the sacred residence of Osiris Here he has found prehistoric tombs, some 150 in number, the contents of which are more astonishing, when it is considered that they go back at least 8,000 years. Fortunately for us who are animated by an intense curiosity as to the doings of those distant ages and the men who lived then, the Egyptians had the peculiar notion that death was but the bridge from this life to the next, which would resemble this one so closely that the very food and furniture used here would be useful there. On this account, they furnished the tombs more as they would furnish homes than as one would expect resting places for the dead to be furnished. Therefore, in them have been found the very food and the utensils which the men and women of that time used while they were alive. It is to this fortunate accident that is due the exactness with which a nineteenth century excavator can say precisely how those who died 6,000 years B. C. lived, what they ate, how they dressed and what was the range of mind and civilization in that ancient time.

In the jars and vases of these old tombs Amelineau has found various cereals, like wheat and rye, proving the agricultural tastes of these people. Date stones are excellent evidence that the date palm was even then appreciated for its food products. Nor were these prehistoric people vegetarians, for if they were, why should there be the bones of oxen and the horns of the gazelle in their tombs?

Amelineau has actually taken us back to the stone age and the beginning of the use of metals in Egypt, for he has found innumerable arrow heads cunningly chipped out of flint, and knives, scrapers and saws made of the same hard material. The decorative instinct was already alive, or why should these old workmen have spent days on polishing and chipping stone bracelets?

It is almost impossible to trace the development of civilization step by step through these remains, for here are earthen plates so rudely shaped as to prove that the potters' wheel, one of the first inventions of primitive man the world over, was not yet known. Then come other plates and pots and jugs, just as surely turned on that very useful machine, showing the next step upward. The following evolution of inventive genius shows itself in the more elaborate pottery and the use of metals for making rude tools. Hard stone was now cut and shaped, diorite, onyx and rock crystal jars and vases were made with so much art that their highly polished surfaces astonish the modern discoverer. It seems as if the use of the diamond or some other hard substance must have been known by the people who hollowed out some of these vases, on the inside of which are still to be seen the marks of the cutting implements. Remember this was 8,000 years ago, and few would believe that the artisic instincts of man had been so early developed were not the ocular proof forthcoming in the artistic creations of these ancient artisans. It was found that some of the tombs were paved with a kind of rose-colored marble, not native to Egypt, and therfore this must have been imported from some distant country, showing that the men of that time traveled and believed in "imported goods" much as we do.

From stage to stage the perfection of the workmanship and the care displayed in ornamentations increases constantly. The primitive geometrical designs on the earliest pottery give way to drawings from life, and there are representations of ostriches so life-like as to be easily recognized; a carving of a duck's head in hard schist, in which the shading of the plumage is brought out, and a carving of a human hand in the same hard material, where the lines of the finger nails are well defined. As to wood carving, these old artists were experts. They took the ebony, which they had to import, and carved perfect statuettes of lions, or of Nubian women, which can be identified as such by the low forehead, angular face, small eyes, prominent cheek bones, large mouth, thick lips and hair parted into a number of tresses. Here is a frog carved out of diorite, as perfect and unmistakable as if it had been done yesterday by the best modern artist.

The men and women alike were fond of personal adornment, for beads of clay, covered with blue enamel, of cornelian, amethyst, emerald and rock crystal, all pierced for stringing, the strings having long since rotted away, were found in large numbers. Here, too, were ivory and wooden instruments with which the eyelids and brows were colored red or black, to make the eyes appear larger. Vanity is then at least 8,000 years old.

The furniture was only found in bits, for the woodwork had generally rotted away and all that remained was the ivory legs of sofas—the most remarkable finds made. These were so large that it is certain they must have been made of the tusks of the hippopotamus. That this animal was hunted by the early Egyptians is well established by wall paintings, but the proof furnished by the finding of their tusks is far more conclusive, carrying the custom back several centuries. The manner in which these legs are carved to represent the legs of oxen is one of the marvels of all who have had the good fortune to see them.

The work of the jewelers of this early age is by no means primitive, for there are bronze bracelets, cunningly turned into serpents, alloys of silver and gold, copper and brass, and other tools of the earlier stage when pure copper was used. To illustrate how near akin mankind has been through these myriads of years, it is only necessary to mention the discovery in one of the tombs of what must have served as a baby's nursing bottle in the long ago. It was an earthen vase, with a hole in the side into which a bit of cloth might be inserted that the baby might draw his milk from the vase. Is there anything "new under the sun?"

Besides the common pots for kitchen use and the fine vases for the parlor, there were discovered pieces of wood wonderfully inlaid with pieces of colored glass, showing that the secret of manufacturing glass was known even then. This seems to indicate a long period of preparation, or development, for men did not invent glass when they were crude and uncivilized. In fact, the discoveries of Abydos open so wide a vista of possibilities that we are scarcely surprised to hear that the tombs of the gods of Egypt have been actually found. But before this startling discovery was made M. Amelineau stirred up the world's Egyptologists by the announcement that he had found the names of sixteen royal personages hitherto unknown. He knew that they were royal, for their names were written in a peculiar device, technically known as the "house," and it was just as if the sculptor had engraved "King" So-and-so. It is from this "house" design that the word Pharaoh is derived, or, rather, the device signifies Pharaoh, from the Egyptian per-aa, "Great House;" that is, the palace of the court.

When M. Amelineau opened some of these graves he found them to be the tombs of these great unknown kings already acknowledged as "Kings of Upper and Lower Egypt," but not yet known as "Sons of the Sun," the title of later Egyptian monarchs. Among these was one whose name he reads Den, another called Qa, and fourteen besides, some of whose titles could not be read, as they were entirely new. For instance, one was indicated by the sculpture of a serpant, but how this is to be pronounced or what it means no Egyptologist has yet found out. On comparing the names just found with all the long list of Egyptian Pharaohs, not one like any of them could be found, and it was very logically concluded that these antedate Menes, and that only now are we reaching the earliest history of Egypt.

The tombs are primitively constructed, some of the walls being so irregular that it is to be doubted whether the plumbline was then known. But, nevertheless, the interior of the tombs were most interesting. Some of them were so short that it was evident that no human body could have been laid here at full length, and the explanation was forthcoming when at last in a tomb which no vandal Arab had reached, a body was found all curled up and surrounded with earthenware pots containing food, ointments, etc. Of course there was no thought then of embalming, and it was entirely due to the dryness of the soil that the body had been preserved at all. In the tomb of the Pharaoh whose name was indicated by a serpent, it was found that there was a number of adjoining chambers, probably intended for the bodies of his wives or of his prominent court officials. The tomb of one of these, by name Nebnofer, "good master," a royal scribe, was among these found. The floor of this tomb was made of heavy sycamore planks, which may well stand as the oldest planks in the world, being some 8,000 and odd years old, as well as can be estimated. Instead of having been nailed down to crosspieces, they were simply tied together by bands of brass, which was still found in place. The mortar, too, was found to have been mixed with fibers of palm leaves, much as hair is now used to mix with plaster, proving that this secret was known a few years ago.

Prof. Maspero agrees with M. Amelineau that the inscription on the royal steles are very rude and primitive in character, and when such a combination of authority agrees that these men antedate all known history, we can only believe. We can hardly grasp the whole significance of these discoveries, for in altering our ideas of chronology many other ideas must be similarly modified. Our conception of the history of mankind is broadened almost indefinitely and we would not be surprised to hear tomorrow that still later discoveries had established the fact of man's existence in Egypt over 10,000 years ago. No wonder, then, that the Egypt of the earlier dynasties was capable of building such remarkable structures as the pyramids. The developement of science and art which must have preceded the bare conception of such buildings is now made evident, and knowing that in time man may do all things, we need no longer be astonished at our own folly in not being sure that there must be some such explanation of the wisdom of Egypt. All conjecture and guessing ceases now in the face of the tombs and articles discovered in them by M. Amelineau.

CUTTING THE KNOT.

Margaret—"What am I to do when they both say they love me?"

Dolly—Marry the man you feel the least pity for."—Philadelphia North American.

The suggestion made by the Denver Humane society that women give up the use of the side saddle and sit astride when riding horseback is meeting with marked opposition. The most powerful, if not the principal, objection is that no dress which could be devised for the innovation would be as becoming as that now in use.

Men exposed to the rigors of the Alaskan winter never wear mustaches. They wear full beards to protect their throats and faces, but keep their upper lips clean shaven. The moisture from the breath congeals so quickly that a mustache becomes embedded in a solid cake of ice, and the face is frozen in a short time.

A system is to be established in Philadelphia this fall whereby teachers will be given permission to take their classes for one-half day, once or twice a year, to Fairmount park and to the zoological gardens, such visits to be regarded as a part of the regular class duties.

NOTE OF THE DAY

HOW TO SELECT A BRIDE.

Rev. J. L. Scudder Tells How to Make Life One Grand Sweet Dream.

If it is a good thing to get a wife, it is a better thing to get a good wife.

There are all kinds of women in this world, and most of them, by the way, would like to be married.

All they need is sufficient urging by the opposite sex.

Now, as there are a great many women in the land, and some are manifestly superior, it behooves the wise man to make a judicious selection.

All women do not make good wives and it is possible for a man to marry and make the greatest blunder of his life.

Some women can make you supremely happy and others can make you very sad. Be careful, then, as to the kind of woman you ask to share your lot.

In seeking a wife, I claim a man should act in a business-like manner and not be carried away by his emotions.

The step he proposes to take is of paramount importance and will affect his weal or woe more than anything in life.

Marriage ought to be something more than a grab-bag, into which a man thrusts his hand and takes out an unknown quantity.

A sensible wooer is like a good shopper, who goes from store to store and examines the goods on all the counters, inquiring into their quality and price before he makes a purchase.

He selects a wife after duly investigating that portion of the market which is available to a man in his station, and comes to the pleasurable conclusion that he has exactly what he wants.

There is little romance, I admit, about such a prosaic method of choosing a partner, and some may criticize this as a pretty cold-blooded way of making love. But in answer to these criticisms it may be said that this is a workaday world, with very little romance about it, and it is better to begin as we can hold out.

Such things have occurred, and will occur again, but they are the exceptions that prove the rule, that the best love arises between those who are acquainted with one another's antecedents and have similar tastes and sympathies.

To marry well a man must marry a woman who he knows will suit him and such knowledge comes only by careful thought and observation.

There are certain qualifications which every woman should possess who proposes to become a wife and which every lover should demand. These I shall mention, and to them fastidious individuals may add as many more as they please.

I hope they will not require as much, however, as a man I once heard of, who said all he would demand in a wife was "a good temper, health, intelligence, a beautiful face, a comely figure, good family connection, domestic habits, resources of amusement, conversational talent, good spirits, elegant manners and money."

There was nothing narrow about that man.

Fortunately, all men do not have such exalted ideals and are willing to put up with a smaller number of desirable qualities.

The first qualification that I shall mention is that she who is to be a wife must be a woman of character and thus command the respect and admiration of the man who seeks her hand.

A pleasant disposition is an indispensable quality.

It must be remembered that women are born actresses—that they can play their parts most skilfully during their courting days and deceive their lovers as to various weak points in their characters if they are so disposed.

Many a man has been completely fooled by the woman he was courting and lived to regret his lack of insight.

If she was a slattern and too lazy to dress herself neatly, she was shrewd enough never to let her young man find her in an unbecoming costume. She was trimly dressed and her hair was combed when he was around.

While the rest of the family were laughing in their sleeves she made him believe that she was the pink of neatness. He used to congratulate himself upon the queenly appearance she would present in their little home when they were married.

But, Heaven pity the man! how he changed his mind six months after the wedding!

So, I say, study your young woman and know exactly what you are getting.

In addition to ascertaining a woman's character, I advise you to marry a real helpmeet—one who will be of service to you in the struggle of life, and not a drag.

Women, like cloth, should be chosen for qualities that will wear.

One of the first qualifications of a helpmeet is physical health. A woman who has disregarded the laws of physiology during the first fourth of her life makes sad work of it during the remaining three-fourths. Without a sound body, with weaknesses and aches and pains, she is scarcely fit to be a wife and mother.

That man is unwise who makes love to any woman with a poor constitution, for marriage increases the burdens of life and makes severe drafts upon the physical system.

If in his earthly pilgrimage a man wants to carry one of these pale, bloodless creatures upon his back, I have nothing to say. But if he wants a woman by his side to travel over the ups and downs of life, let him choose one who can walk down town without hailing a car at the first corner or climb a couple of stories without sighing for an elevator

Never mind that doll face, young man. Just find out whether its owner can take a two or three-mile tramp with you without being fatigued or ride a tandem and do her share of the pedalling.

Find out whether the ruddy hue on her cheek is due to rouge or to good, red blood.

Wait till she is out of her teens and a woman grown. Doctors tell us that twenty years of age is soon enough for a woman to marry. Twenty-two or twenty-three is better.

I pity these girlish wives As a rule they grow haggard and peevish and prematurely old, whereas they ought to have kept their bloom till forty-five or fifty and their good spirits to their journey's end.

Do not marry a woman who carries her head too high and is unwilling to come down and start with you at the bottom of the ladder.

The sin of the age is extravagance—living for show; living beyond one's means.

All women would like to be butterflies, brilliant in costume and flitting about the landscape to the admiration of all beholders.

Get a woman who cares more for your love than for the eyes of the world; who finds more joy in her husband and her home than in society.

Celibacy is unnatural and unsatisfactory. Taken alone, man is an incomplete being. He needs a woman's love to make his life perfect. Adam as a bachelor was not a success. He had no home, even if he was in Eden. It was only when he married Eve that he knew what real living was Men ought to be taxed for remaining single.

EXTRAVAGANCE OF THE POOR.

[By D. O. Mills.]

The most wasteful and extravagant people in the world today are the poor of our American cities. As a class they have not the slightest idea of the value of saving. Years of study and observation have convinced vinced me of that. Economy is the one great need of the poor in the city of New York today.

It was to teach them the value of economy that I built the Mills hotels—to show them how very little they can live on if they only make the attempt. When the poor learn properly the value of economy, the necessity of charity will to a great extent be done away with. But when I see the extravagance on every side, the false standards of living, the pretention, the shoddy imitation, the perpetual straining after luxuries of all kinds, I grow hopeless of ever having the poor learn the lesson of economy.

Why, in Europe the problem of living is with the poor a science. I say positively that the man in Austria who receives forty cents a day gets more real comfort out of that forty cents than does his fellow-laborer in New York who receives $3 as his daily wage. The American is not content unless he buys whisky and cigars, and, in addition, his false sense of honor tells him he must "treat" his acquaintances if he meets them in a saloon. This "treating" system is one of the curses of the poor.

Then the American feels that he must have meat if not three times at least once a day. Well, he doesn't need it even once a day.

There seems to be a general impression that I devote much time and money to so-called charitable relief. I don't.

All my efforts are directed to teach the masses, and particularly the poor, the value of saving. Those who learn that lesson won't need charity.

I don't believe in making charity "sweet" for any one—unless, of course, it be some one who through illness or disease is absolutely unable to help himself. I believe in helping those who help themselves. Then the recipient of a favor, however small, maintains his self-respect.

RELICS OF AN OLD DAY.

WOODEN SHOES STILL SOLD IN FORT WAYNE, BUT THE WEARERS OF THEM ARE FEW.

Suspended in front of a grocery on Barr street in a mute appeal to possible customers who seldom come, hang several pairs of wooden shoes. The most romantic imagination would hardly be daring enough to call them attractive, yet Fort Wayne has seen the day when this style of footgear was in high favor among an older class of citizens who clung to them as an heritage brought from homes across the seas.

It is a far cry back to the days when wooden shoes clattered over the sidewalks here or plowed through the mud where there were none, and most of the sturdy German and French settlers who wore them have long since joined the silent majority. It is not intended to convey the impression that these shoes were ever the prevailing style of footgear in Fort Wayne. By no means. Yet among the earlier residents of this section who came from certain foreign countries, they were a recognized necessity in the rougher work of the farm and the shop.

A PASSING CUSTOM.

The wooden shoes gave way to more modern, if not more healthful, styles of footgear, just as other modes of dress have retreated before and been displaced by the newest fancies of fashion. Their cumbrous clatter on Calhoun street today would seem no more strange than would a glimpse of a lady attired in the costume of a belle of the fifties. In fact, it may be doubted if so much attention would be paid to them as to a reincarnation of the fashionably dressed gentleman of ante-bellum days. Yet they have gone as surely. The sons of the original wearers of wooden shoes rebelled against the old-country custom as others grew up around them, and the reign of the wooden shoe weakened with each generation. It is little more than a memory now, but it typifies a staunch, sturdy citizenship transplanted from European soil that builded and thrived in the American surroundings which effaced many of the customs and traditions of its native home.

STILL CLING TO THEM.

Years ago no Fort Wayne grocer's stock was complete without an assortment of these homely wearables No shoe store is on record as having had them on sale, and there may have been something in the shoe dealer's code of ethics that forbade giving them a place on his shelves. In a pioneer grocery, however, they were as staple as sugar, and a few Fort Wayne dealers, among whose patrons are some of the older German and French people, still handle them. The demand can hardly be said to be heavy, but it is firm. Among the places where the wooden wearables may still be found is the grocery of William Doehrman, on Barr street, and the proprietor tells a reporter for The Sentinel that he still sells perhaps 100 pairs of wooden shoes during the winter season. Doubtless a few other places in the city sell as many more, which shows that while far out-classed by the vica kids and the patent leather pumps of fashiondom, the plain, homely "kicks" of the early foreign fellow-citizen are not entirely out of it.

WARMTH AND SENTIMENT.

"One rarely sees wooden shoes worn now," said Mr. Doehrman, "but the fact that we, as well as a few other dealers, still have calls for them, proves that they are yet in use in occasional instances. You can never persuade an old man who has worn them that any other shoe is half so warm as the wooden shoes of the old days, though it is possible a few cling to them from sentiment. It is claimed they exclude the severest cold more effectually than leather, and the feet simply cannot get damp in them . Perhaps no one wears them continually now, but for the rough work about the farm a good many are yet in use, among the older German farmers. Then the decorative tastes of the ladies create something of a demand for them, and they are deemed a pretty oddity for the home when gilded and decorated in fanciful styles. Many of the ladies will, at a small expense, work a wonderful transformation in the appearance of a very commonplace pair of wooden shoes, and you'll find them in a good many homes."

ARE MADE BY HAND.

No machine work entered into the making of wooden shoes. They were and are solely the product of hand labor, and as the price in olden days was but twenty-five to thirty-five cents a pair, the manufacturer must have gotten rich very deliberately One pair would last through the winter, and the wood used was usually elm, swamp ash or soft maple. Guess at the weight of the clumsy-looking things and you would probably miss it a mile. A pair weighed by Mr. Doehrman registered but $1\frac{1}{4}$ pounds. The matter of size was permitted to cut but little figure. The shoemaker simply aimed to get them large enough, and there was no complaint. The art that enabled the wearer to keep them on his feet at all was above objecting to a slight discrepancy in the fit.

The pioneer artisans who made wooden shoes in Fort Wayne and vicinity have disappeared with their pations. The most of those now sold here are made by an elderly German named Slietman, in Adams county, though some are produced at Bremen, Ohio, where a considerable community of old-country Germans is found. Among the earlier makers here only a few are remembered. "Old Nick," a Frenchman who had a little shop on Barr street, opposite the site of the city hall, did a rushing business in this line thirty-odd years ago. Another Frenchman named Jaion, who lived at Arcola, also made many pairs and peddled them about the city and country. Many others were engaged in the enterprise in early years, but time has effaced them from memory. The old-country custom could not endure against the comforts of later days, and it has gone to a place beside the home spinning and weaving of pioneer days. Many of the children of the present day never saw a wooden shoe. It is now a rarity. Throw around it the shades of a few more years and it will become a curiosity.

THE AGE OF THE EARTH.

Scientists are still disagreeing about the age of the earth. They have been actively discussing the subject for the last thirty years, and yet no general agreement has been arrived at. The school of Hutton and Playfair had come to believe that the whole of eternity was at the disposal of the geologists, when Sir W. Thomson, now Lord Kelvin, astonished the scientific world by declaring that the age of our planet must be more than 20,000,000, but less than 400,000,000 years. This larger estimate has now been restricted by him to not much more than 20,000,000; while Professor Tait grudgingly allows something less than 10,000,000. Sir Archibald Geikie showed that even the phenomena of denudation which had ben adduced in support of the inconceivably vast antiquity of our globe, might be accounted for at the present rate of action within such a period as 100,000,000 years. Sir Archibald, in an address before the British association, now concedes that it is just as well to leave the dispute about the age of the earth to the decision of the future. He still, however, adheres to his belief that 100,000,000 years would suffice for that portion of the history which is registered in the stratified rocks of the crust. At the same time, he concedes that there is no reason on the geological side why scientists should not be at liberty to enlarge it as far as they might find to be needful for the evolution of organized existence on the globe. To the end of following investigations which might be turned to account in the solution of this vast problem, Sir Archibald recommended a study of atmospheric denudations on buildings, and he urged upon town geologists that they might do good service by careful scrutiny of ancient buildings and monuments, so as to obtain definite measures of the rate of their decay.

NO NOVELTY.

"Just think," said the Filipino soldier, "of the luxury we would live in if the United States government would only meet our applictions for money. We could spend the rest of our lives in some quiet, peaceful retreat where—"

"Great Scott!" interrupted his auditor. "How else have we been spending our lives?"—Washington Star.

ACME OF CULTURE.

"Me son," said Pat, "is a eddycated man. He gradyated from a civil service examination last year."—Philadelphia North American.

A village without a name, consisting of 500 fishermen's huts, occupies a position every winter on Lake Huron.

VALLEY OF DIAMONDS.

BASIS FOR SINBAD'S STORY FOUND IN THE LEGENDS OF SOUTH AFRICAN NATIVES.

Has the valley of diamonds of which Sinbad the Sailor tells us in the story of one of his wonderful voyages in the "Arabian Nights" a counterpart in reality in South Africa?

If any credence may be placed in the legends of the various tribes of South African negroes, it has. Perhaps it was the legend of these negroes that was carried north in some mysterious manner, and thus furnished the Arabian story teller with a foundation for his work, or perhaps the Arabian story in some manner reached the negroes and thus became a part of their simple folklore. But speculations in this matter are worth nothing. The legend is the common property of all the tribes in South Africa, and, though it varies somewhat in detail, in the main it is the same story that is told in all the villages.

White men have heard the story from the lips of the negroes, and many have believed it and gone forth to their death in the great Kalahari Desert in search of the valley where diamonds are as thick as pebbles along the course of an Indiana brook.

Ages and ages ago, the Kaffirs say, when they were the sole inhabitants of South Africa, a great tribe from the north came down upon them and drove them from their homes. To the west and to the north they fled, scattering in isolated parties and fleeing into lands they had never before penetrated, to escape the assegais and clubs of the armies before which they were powerless. Those who went to the north were followed by their enemies and driven beyond the Orange river. Here they lived in peace for awhile, but their security was only temporary. The giant blacks came upon them again; and again they were forced to flee, until they found themselves on the border of a great desert. Their numbers had beee so decimated by war and privation that but a few score remained of the host that had first fled under the storm of assegais. Here the majority of the tribe resolved to stop, feeling that further retreat was useless, but some did not agree to this and determined to push on into the desert, hoping that they could cross it in safety.

The desert was greater in extent than the Kaffirs had thought and their sufferings were terrible. When they reached the nearest water nearly half of their number had died. But the survivers pushed on until at last the desert was crossed and they stood at the foot of a range of high mountains. Though water was to be found here, the vegetation was scanty, and, for this reason, they determined to push on into the mountains to try and find a spot suitable for a home. At last their sufferings were to be rewarded. They came upon a valley, high up in the mountains, rich in vegetation and bounding in game, and here they determined to stop.

Protected by the desert on the south, and by the steep and almost inaccessible mountains on the north, the wanderers at last felt perfect security from their enemies. The valley furnished them with everything they desired and they were happy.

One day one of the Kaffirs discovered a cleft in the cliffs in the extreme northern end of the valley while in pursuit of game. So far as the Kaffirs had been able to discover up to this time, there was but one entrance to the valley, that by which they had entered, and the hunter determined to explore the cleft to ascertain where it led. From a few yards in width at the entrance the cleft gradually narowed and the rock above came closer and closer together until the hunter at last found himself in a small tunnel too low for him to walk erect and so narrow that there was barely room for his body to pass freely. The hunter's curiosity was thoroughly aroused, however, and he continued his exploration, finally compelled to crawl on all fours by the decreasing height of the tunnel. At last his perseverance was rewarded by a glimmer of light ahead and he was soon creeping out of the darkness of the tunnel into the light of day.

At first the eyes of the Kaffir could distinguish nothing in the glaring sunlight, but as his eyes became more accustomed to the light he found he had penetrated to a small, cup-shaped valley, several acres in extent, and surrounded on all sides by almost perpendicular cliffs several thousand feet in height. There was not a trace of vegetation in the valley, all was cold and repelling, but as the Kaffir gazed about he suddenly gave a cry of delight. The ground on all sides was covered with pretty pebbles, and stooping to examine them he found that most of them were of the peculiar kind (diamonds) used by the witch doctors in their incantations, and which were reputed to have great healing powers. The stones were mostly of large size, and their number were as great as the leaves in a forest. The Kaffir explored the valley, but could find no other entrance than that which had afforded him a means of access; but everywhere were the witch stones, at times he was literally walking over beds of them. The surface was strewn with them.

The day was waning, and, warned by the length of the shadows, the hunter picked up some of the stones and started back through the tunnel. On his way back he crawled into a nest of adders and was so badly bitten that he got back to his people only in time to tell his story before he died. The presence of snakes in the tunnel deterred the others from attempting the trip, and a short time afterward a disease seized the inhabitants of the tiny village, and after its ravages had ceased but two of the natives remained alive. The survivors, two warriors, concluded that the valley was accursed and determined to waste no time in leaving it. Taking the diamonds with them, they started on the long trip to the south, to regain those of their people they had left behind or fall into the hands of their enemies, they cared but little which, so that they escaped from the accursed place where their families had all met death. One of them died in the desert, but the other after terrible sufferings finally reached some of his people, only to die soon after. The stones became the property of the witch doctors and his story one of the legends of his people.

Years afterward the captain of a Portuguese trading vessel heard this legend and incorporated it in a book he wrote about his travels in Africa, giving the alleged location of the valley on a map of South Africa. This tale was looked upon by his countrymen simply as a sailor's yarn and passed without notice. Soon after this, however, another Portuguese sailor named Pedro Rodriguiz heard the legend and, believing that the valley really existed, set out for the interior with a small party from his ship and a number of natives. He was never heard from again.

From that time until the early part of the present century no one, so far as can be learned, thought of placing any credence in the story: at any rate, there is no record of any one attempting to find it again, until 1825, when a Dutchman named Heiderstrom concluded that the natives had some basis in fact for their legend, and set out on an exploring expedition from which he never returned. The Dutchmen of the Orange Free State tell of a number of others who have from time to time set out to find this pot of diamonds at the foot of the natives' rainbow, but none of them, with the exception of a Scotchman named McDonald, ever returned from their journey. They either perished miserably at the hands of unfriendly natives or of privation and thirst. McDonald turned back while in the desert, because his water supply was giving out, and he was unable to find certain pools indicated on a map he had.

The natives who knew of these expeditions shake their heads solemnly when their fate is discussed, and assert that no doubt the explorers found the valley, but that a curse hangs over it, and no one can enter it and come back alive.

I have given the Kaffir legend of this valley because this nation goes into more detail in the description of the wanderings of their people and the incidents which led up to and followed the discovery of the fabled mine. Among the other tribes it is nearly the same, differing only in the description of the manner in which it was discovered and making their own people the discoverers. None of the others admit, however, that pressure of their enemies led up to the accidental discovery. They all agree as to its location and entrance, save the Bechuanas, who place it at the top of a steep, almost inaccessible mountain, where a party of their hunters were blown by a terrible wind storm in the desert, in which they had become lost while in the pursuit of game. All the party were killed in attempting the descent save one, who got back to his people with some of the stones, but died soon after. The Kaffirs assert that the largest diamond ever found in South Africa, the Dudley diamond, which was in the possession of a witch doctor, was one of the stones brought from this valley of diamonds.

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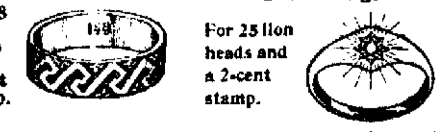

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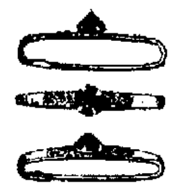

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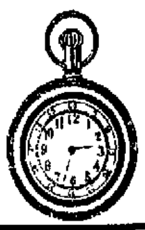

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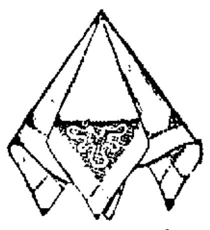

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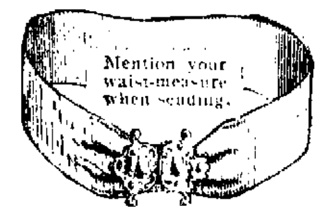

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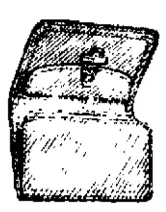

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LESSON VII, FOURTH QUARTER, INTERNATIONAL SERIES, NOV. 12.

Text of the Lesson, Neh. iv, 7-18. Memory Verses, 15-18—Golden Text, Math. xxvi. 41—Commentary Prepared by the Rev. D. M. Stearns.

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The topic of this lesson is "The Rebuilding of the Walls of Jerusalem" and requires a study of chapters i-vi. When the people of God are not an honor to Him, walking worthy of Him, they are a reproach to Him. Nehemiah felt that the condition of things at Jerusalem was a reproach to God (ii, 17; v, 9), and his desire was to take away this reproach.

7, 8. "They were very wroth and conspired to fight against Jerusalem and to hinder it." This was the attitude and conduct of the enemies of God, who were grieved exceedingly that any one should seek the welfare of the children of Israel (chapter ii, 10). The old serpent who sought to mar the work of God in Eden is ever the inveterate enemy of God and man and will exert himself to the utmost when he sees the people of God zealous for the glory of God. In these chapters we see many of his wiles and may learn from Nehemiah, comfort of Jehovah, how to stand against them (Eph. vi, 11).

9. "Nevertheless we made our prayer unto our God and set a watch against them day and night." Nehemiah was a man of God and therefore a man of prayer (chapters i, 4; ii, 4), but, while his strength was in God and his whole reliance upon Him, he failed not to use the means within his reach. Our Lord taught His disciples to watch as well as pray (Mark xiv, 38). In Eph. vi, 11, 13 we are taught that the whole armor of God is necessary, that we may be able to stand against the evil one. As we saw in last lesson, Nehemiah strengthened himself in God by His word. Then he encouraged the people by telling them of the hand of God upon him (ii, 17, 18), and so priests, Levites, rulers, goldsmiths, apothecaries, merchants and also women went to work, each repairing over against their own house, and so half the wall was builded, for the people had a mind to work (chapters iii and iv, 6).

10. "And Judah said, We are not able to build the wall." It is bad enough to have enemies outside to contend with, but when those who are within the fold or the family get discouraged it makes matters more difficult. In chapter iii, 5 we read that the nobles of the Tekoites put not their necks to the work of the Lord, but here is a leading tribe, the one from which our Lord came (Heb. vii, 14), talking of much rubbish and no strength for the work. If Nehemiah had not been staid upon Jehovah (ii, 20), he might have been sorely discouraged.

11, 12. Not only did the adversaries keep threatening that they would cause the work to cease, but the Jews who dwelt by them became filled with fears. Contrast Isa. xli, 6. "They helped every one his neighbor, and every one said to his brother, Be of good courage." In the story of Gideon all the people who were fearful and afraid were sent home (Judges vii, 3). The Lord wants His people to be strong and of good courage (Josh. i, 6, 7, 9; Hag. ii, 4).

13, 14. "Be not ye afraid of them. Remember the Lord." He appointed the people to their places fully armed and encouraged them with such words as these. In Isa. li, 12, 13 we have the words, "Afraid of a man, and forgettest the Lord, thy Maker." And in Isa. xii, 2, "Behold God is my salvation; I will trust and not be afraid." If we are afraid, we are forgetting God and not trusting in Him. When we rely upon Him, we cannot be afraid. The weapons of our warfare are not carnal, not swords and spears and bows, but might, through God to the pulling down of strongholds (II Cor. x, 4). We have the shield of faith, the helmet of salvation and the sword of the Spirit (Eph. vi, 16, 17).

15. "God brought their counsel to naught. We returned all of us to the wall, every one unto his work." The Lord bringeth the counsel of the heathen to naught. He maketh the devices of the people of none effect. The counsel of the Lord standeth forever, the thoughts of His heart to all generations (Ps. xxxiii, 10, 11). See also Isa. xiv, 24; xlvi, 10.

16. "While some wrought in the work others held the weapons, ready for an emergency. Although not written in Scripture, it is Scripturally true that They also serve who only stand and wait. And it is written that, "As his part is that goeth down to the battle, so shall his part be that tarrieth by the stuff—they shall part alike (I Sam. xxx, 24).

17. "With one of his hands wrought in the work, and with the other hand held a weapon." Thus did the builders and the burden bearers as they wrought in the work and were not terrified by their adversaries (Phil. i, 28). Like David, they prepared with all their might, and set their affection to the work (I Chron. xxiv, 2, 3). Like Hezekiah, they did it with all their heart and prospered (I Chron. xxxi, 21). When the enemy sought to entice Nehemiah away, seemingly, for a conference, but really to do him harm, he was led to send them this word, "I am doing a great work, so that I cannot come down." Four times they sent unto him after this sort, but he always answered after the same manner (chapter vi, 3, 4). Read the whole of chapter vi and see in how many ways they sought to ensnare Nehemiah, but see the wisdom of God in him and in all his replies to them. In due time the wall was finished, and the enemies were much cast down in their own eyes, for they perceived that the work was wrought of God. Had the wall been built by skilled masons the credit would have been theirs, but when such unlikely people as apothecaries, goldsmiths, etc., built such a wall they could not but see that God did it. The more disqualified we feel for the work to which God calls us the more glory there will be to God as He accomplishes it through us.

18. "He that sounded the trumpet was by me." And when they heard the sound of the trumpet they were to resort thither (verse 20). Our glorious Captain has all the work under His control. He shall not fail nor be discouraged. He shall see of the travail of His soul and shall be satisfied (Isa. xlii, 4; liii, 11), and when the trumpet sounds how quickly and gladly all His people shall resort to Him (I Thess. iv, 16-18). The work shall be finished notwithstanding all enemies; the church shall be completed, the marriage of the Lamb shall come, the kingdom shall be the Lord's, and the whole earth be filled with His glory (Eph. v, 27; Rev. xix, 7; xi, 15; Hab. ii, 14). Let us not come down from our great work of living to complete His body and bring Him back.

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Deliverance.
We name him blest of God,
Beloved of men,
Who by sweet boons to all
His own bliss doth attain.

—Frederick Cohn.

Fort Wayne, Ind., Nov. 10, 1899.

LOCAL LINES.

Attorney Link, of Auburn, was in the city Friday.

Hon. Robert Lowry is home from a business trip to Goshen.

Sheriff B. F. Hull, of Columbia City, was in Fort Wayne Friday.

Mrs. A. B. Van Meter and son are at home from a visit at Antwerp, Ohio.

J. Walter May, of Boston, is at the Wayne. He is a guest of W. H. Fleming.

The F. G. M. N. club met Friday evening with Miss Bertha Brandt, 34 McClellan street.

Miss Georgia Breckney, of Columbia City, is in the city to spend Sunday with friends.

Dr. H. L. Porter and family leave Sunday for a week's vacation in the northern part of the state.

Gustave Springer, the little son of Mr. and Mrs. Otto Springer, of Nebraska, is seriously ill with pneumonia.

Mrs. Dr. Sampson and daughter, of Upper Sandusky, Ohio, are in the city to spend Sunday with the family of Dr. C. B. Stemen.

Mr. and Mrs. John Shuey, of Northeast Jefferson, Wells county, have moved to Fort Wayne and will make this city their future home.

Col. C. E. Briant, of Huntington, was in Fort Wayne on business Friday. Mr. Briant had just returned from a meeting of timber dealers held in Detroit.

The First Spiritualists' society has engaged the services of C. M. and Josie K. Folsom, two famous mediums of Springfield, Mo., for the months of December and January.

Street railway employes were paid Friday evening for the last seven days under the old company and up to the time the new Fort Wayne Traction company took charge of the road.

J. F. Rice, marshal of Ada, Ohio, arrived in the city Friday to accompany his wife back home. Mrs. Rice was brought to Fort Wayne some time ago to undergo a surgical operation and is recovering nicely.

Ledingnan, a little town in the Cevennes, is so strongly on Dreyfus' side that it has named streets after Alfred Dreyfus and Emile Zola, and a square Place Picquart. A blind alley has been christened "impasse de l'Etat-Major."

Kendallville Sun: "Elliot Mathews sold his maroon colored driving horse to the Fort Wayne fire department today. Hereafter this elegant styled animal will be driven by the chief of the fire department on state occasions at the head of the procession."

Mrs. Annie Wort Thompson was the guest of honor at a luncheon given by Mrs. Elizabeth Hanna Friday. Mrs. Thompson formerly resided in this city and her present home is in Milwaukee. The table was decorated with white chrysanthemums.

Monroeville Breeze: "Deputy Sheriff George Stout was in town Wednesday, serving papers on witnesses and drawn jurymen. A large number of voters in this part of Allen county proclaim that George is to carry the main key to the sheriff's office after the next election."

According to an English clergyman, the East End must surrender the unenviable reputation of being the worst section of London. He says that Southwark is "the festering cancer of London's supreme misery, the Black Hole of the metropolis."

The members of the Schubert quartet, under the leadership of Miss Elizabeth Gibson, gave a recital at the Congregation church Friday evening. They were assisted by Miss Philley, who gave several readings and recitations. Miss Rose Rodebaugh was the accompanist. The church was well filled and the audience showed full appreciation of the excellent program rendered.

Hicksville News: "Some time ago it was known to a few of Harry H. Edgerton's friends that he had made application for the position of deputy United States surveyor for the territory of Alaska. Among those who were asked to recommend him was Postmaster Richards, of this city. The latter is now in receipt of a letter from the head of the land department informing him they are pleased to gratify him and that Mr. Edgerton will be notified to qualify as soon as word of the appointment can reach the far away territory. Harry's many friends here will be greatly pleased with his good luck, whic hthey well know he deserves."

MORNING MUSICAL RECITAL.

A most enjoyable recital was given in the Masonic Temple Friday afternoon by Miss Kirstine Lindemann, soprano; Miss Anna Molboe, accompanist, and Miss Helen Mohr, pianist. Miss Lindemann is from Denmark and has sung in this city but once before. She has a well modulated voice and an excellent delivery. Miss Molboe, accompanist, gave thorough satisfaction and her work added much to the success of the afternoon. Miss Helen Mohr gave several piano solos. This is her first appearance and her manner of rendering several difficult compositions called forth repeated applause from her hearers. The recital was given under the auspices of the Morning Musical society.

GOLD IN THE PHILIPPINES.

Deadwood, S. D., Nov. 11. J. D. Foster, a member of one of the South Dakota companies, who has remained in the Philippines, writes that he met a native dentist who showed him $14 worth of gold which had been panned from a stream near Manila in a week's time by a native woman with an old earthen vessel. The dentist stated that he knew where there were a good many quartz veins near the city which had been worked more or less for gold. One shaft had been sunk ten feet and the dentist stated that it was abandoned because of the water. The native miners bailed the water out with buckets, one man passing it up to a middle man and he on to the third at the top. The natives have never heard of pumps and are against mining with machinery.

GREATEST DEMAND KNOWN.

New York, Nov. 11. R. G. Dun & Co.'s Weekly Review of Trade today says:

"The most noteworthy feature of the time is the rise in prices. Cotton rose on Wednesday to 7.81 cents, with much excitement, putting the price 2½ cents higher than it was a year ago, and yet it was still higher in September, 1897. Wool has risen relatively more, about 10 per cent. in two weeks, and the average of 100 quotations by Coates Bros. is higher than it has been at any other time since May, 1893. Pig iron has risen further, $25 being quoted for anthracite No. 1, the highest price since January, 1883. But hides are at the highest point since January, 1873. Prices of produce have not correspondingly advanced. Leather and boots and shoes were higher in November, 1895, then they are now; cotton goods were higher in January, 1896; woolen goods in July, 1894, and even the products of iron, though greatly advanced, are not as high as they were in January, 1890. Such wide discrepancies in advance cause much embarrassment, but are the natural characteristic of a rise which is mainly due not to concerted action in any trade, but to the pressure of a consuming demand, the greatest ever known, which for the time exceeds supplies, though very unequally.

"Failures for the week have been 157 in the United States, against 211 last year, and 23 in Canada, against 26 last year."

A FREAK IN ITS WAY.

Muncie, Ind., Nov. 11.—The Troxell natural gas well, which was struck while drillers were boring for water at a depth of forty-six feet, is completely exhausted now, and a good flow of water has been obtained instead of gas. Since the discovery of that well another in many respects similar has been found on the Arthur farm, a mile and a half west of Portland. A good flow of gas was struck in this instance at a depth of thirty-eight feet.

THE CALLOWAY MURDER TRIAL

Laporte, Ind., Nov. 11.—The state has rested in the Calloway murder trial, and the defense has outlined a theory of self-defense, supporting it with evidence showing that Grady had made threats to kill Calloway, of whom he was jealous. The defense has finished and a session of the court will be held today that the case may reach the jury before the Sabbath.

SEVERED HIS WINDPIPE.

Auburn, Ind., Nov. 11.—John Bishop, who attempted suicide at Hicksville, Ohio, has so far recovered as to be able to be moved to St. Joe, this county, where his wife is at his side. Bishop severed his windpipe. He has recently retired from business at Plainwell, Mich., and now has under construction in that city a new residence. Despondency over poor health prompted the effort.

All the exterior of the great Sacre Coeur church, in Montmartre, has been completed and the scaffolding which has marked the hill for so many years will soon be taken down. So far the church has cost about $6,500,000, and as much more will be needed before the decoration is finished.

NORTHERN INDIANA NOTES.

Rev. and Mrs. Henry Luse, of Elkhart, have celebrated their golden wedding.

Miss Jennie Walters, an expert rifle shot, of Elkhart county, fatally wounded herself while at target practice.

The commissioners of Miami county have made a demand on Sheriff Dunn for $2,000 in fees, alleged to have been illegally retained by that official. The sheriff claims that the money is rightfully his own.

A large number of the Mennonite residents of Elkhart county where a colony of that faith has prospered for years, will settle in Idaho, where another Mennonite colony is being founded. Twenty-three left Wednesday for Nampha to locate, others soon to follow.

Some time ago a man by the name of Norris deserted his wife in Milford, taking their only daughter with him. Last Saturday the unfortunate woman gave birth to twins, but they died. On Tuesday the poor woman followed her infants to the grave. The Mail says the dead mother and her helpless condition would be avenged did her worthless husband ever show up there.

The Indiana Electric Railway company will carry mail between Goshen and South Bend, twenty-six miles, on its trolley cars, beginning about January 1. It is the purpose to serve Elkhart, Mishawaka and intermediate points. A representative of the postoffice department has examined the route and recommended the establishment of a pouch system, and the contract is to be signed up this week.

Excitement has been caused at Laporte by the reported finding of gold-bearing ore at a point near the little Kankakee river, east of that city, where the city is sinking a well for its new system of water works. The metal was found in rocks brought to the surface by the excavators. There is also evidence of silver ore in the rock. Specimens of the ore are on exhibition in Laporte, and a further investigation will be made.

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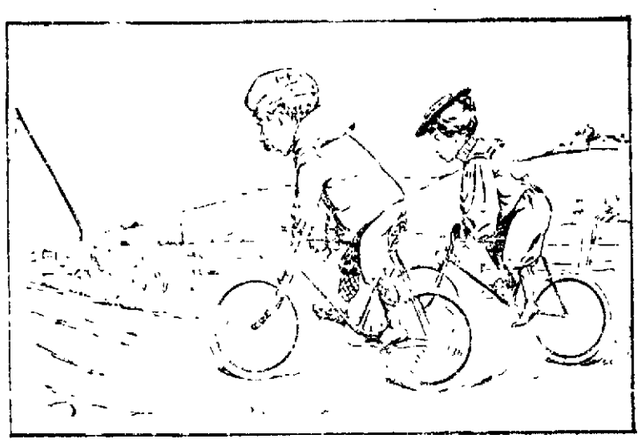

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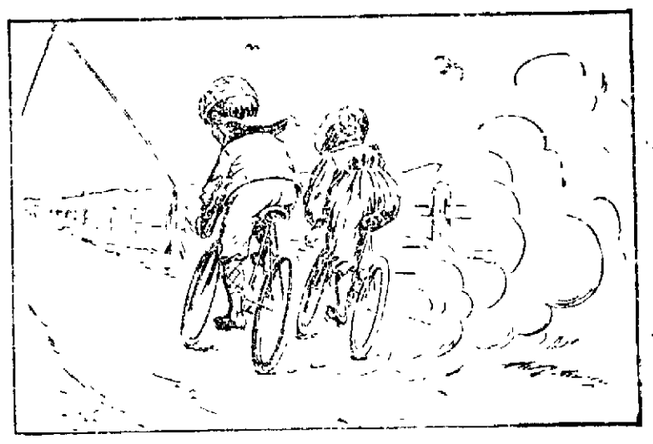
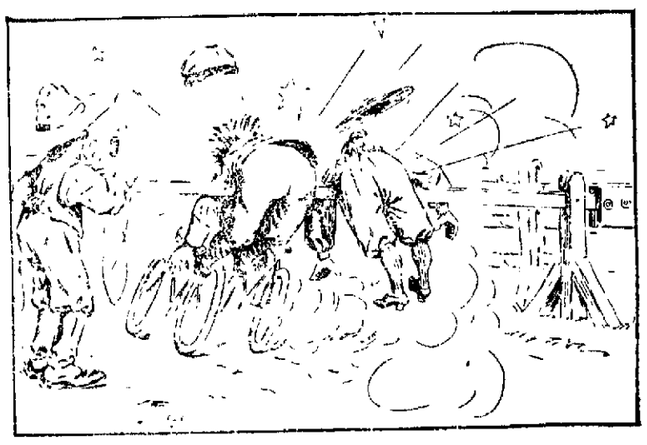
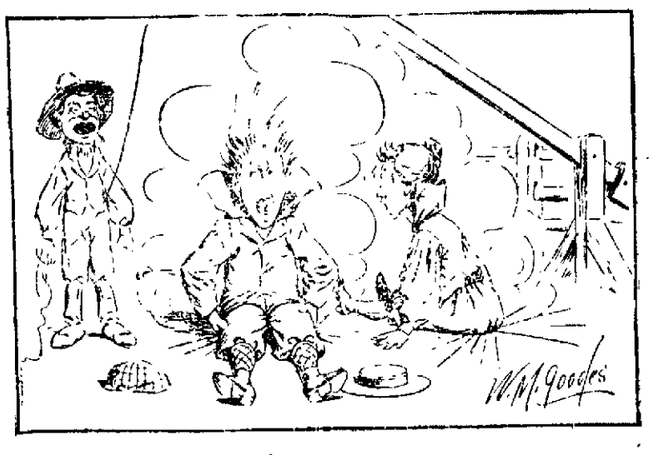
Each mounted on a "bike,"
Bore down upon an old toll-gate,
That stretched across the pike.



2. As they swept on they gaily laughed,
And thought by sudden spurt,
To clear the toll-gate like a shot,
And do the keeper "dirt."



3. But like a hail-stone from on high,
That seeks the mother earth,
That gate descended from the sky,
And caught them in the girth.



4. And when the gate arose again,
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By M. QUAD

Squan Creek had settled down to enjoy a period of peace and prosperity when Salathiel Green returned from a visit to Philadelphia. It wasn't that Salathiel's absence or home coming made any particular difference as far as he was personally concerned, but something he brought with him came very near causing a revolution throughout eastern New Jersey. The object was a bass drum. Salathiel had attended an auction and bid it in with the idea that Squan Creek might be induced to go ahead and organize a brass band. When he reached town he strung that drum around his neck and went marching up and down and across lots, and he not only felt that he was the biggest man for 40 miles around, but dozens of people told him so. It was the first bass drum ever seen in Squan Creek and it excited far more interest than Joe Henry's one eyed shark or Tom Parker's lobster with nine claws. Salathiel got home at six o'clock in the evening, but it was two o'clock next morning before that drum ceased to echo through the town. The beating began again soon after day break and was kept up until three o'clock in the afternoon, at which hour a public meeting had been called to see about organizing a band. The meeting opened with Judge Taylor in the chair. The judge was enthusiastic for a brass band. He said we had the biggest fish, the fattest oysters, the largest crabs and the most gigantic liars on the face of the earth, but there was one thing lacking to put us on a plane with New York, Boston or Chicago. We had no brass band. He wasn't a rich man, but he had a public spirit, and they could put him down for $15. Not only that, but he would become a member of the band and beat time on the big drum.

The judge was followed by the postmaster, who said he was lame in the breath, but the events of the last few hours had shown the man in his true colors. There would be no brass band. That is, he would withdraw his subscription and buy a big bass drum for himself and beat it for his own amusement.

The idea was ... The meeting ... went to smash in about five minutes ... in a hour ... different ... way to Ph... When Salathiel Green heard ... eve... to ... him to pound the ... he ... kept the drum bu... Squan Creek ... Along toward ... whose ... wherever ... eyes ... but the ... to get a new hole and rep...

... since ... thunderstorms and earthquakes and hurricanes ... in comparison ... and he beat time ... folks began to arrive ... try to ... three different ... hooters left leg and rather deaf in both ears, but his motto was Squan Creek first and last all the time. ... five dollars and beat the drum. The mayor of the village offered to give seven dollars and beat the drum, and he was followed by five or six different men. Everybody wanted the honor of pounding on that bass. When this sort of thing had gone on for some time Salathiel Green whacked three whacks on his drum to command attention and arose and said:

"It sorter appears to me that to have a brass band we've got to have horns to toot on. Nobody has offered to toot on horns. As for the drummin' bizness, that falls to me. I never was no hand to play the mouth-organ or accordion, but when it comes to poundin' a drum nobody can beat me. Jest listen to this!"

And he thumped the drum ... thumps, and smiled like a tickled child and looked around for applause. He didn't get any, however. Every man in the meeting had decided that he would beat the time or have nothing to do with the band question. When it was seen that Salathiel was sot a committee was appointed to take him out back of the meeting house and wrassle with him. Joe Henry was one of the five, and he smiled on Salathiel and began:

"What I want to see in this case is a speerit of brotherly love. This brass band is not to honor ourselves, but the town. We must pick out the best men. I ain't sayin' that Salathiel don't whack the drum fairly well, but he's lop shouldered and his knees bend inward. He wouldn't look purty in a purcession."

"I also want a speerit of brotherly love to prevail," added Moses Selermerhorn, as he patted Salathiel on the back. "I was observin' Brother Green as he marched around town this afternoon. He's got a monstrous ear for time, but he squints up one eye and draws his mouth around to the left. If our band was marchin' through the streets of New York I'm afeered the folks would guy him."

The other members of the committee advanced their objections, and when the last one had finished Salathiel gave that big drum two mighty whacks and said:

"You critters can all go to grass! I'm ownin' this drum, and I don't give it up to anybody!"

The committee had to return to the hall and report that nothin' could be done with the obstinate man, who stood out on the square pounding away until his own hair stood up. It was a good half hour before any speaking could be heard above the noise, and then Judge Taylor got up and said it was evident that patriotism was dead and public spirit in its last agonies. He had always looked upon Salathiel Green as a man who put Squan Creek before himself, and one ready to fill any ... sent boats ashore to see if the towns people wanted to be taken off. The racket was kept up for two days and a night, and not one of the drummers had yet shown signs of giving in, when something happened to save the town. The fire company ... about ... strong ... all the drums and drummers. Although Squan Creek was ... away that racket had kept everybody awake o'nights and upset business by day. As fast as the drums were captured they were thrown into the surf, and the last to go was the one which had caused all the trouble. When they finally chased Salathiel Green and his drum into the cooper shop and captured them he turned on them with:

"If this drum goes into the sea I go with it! It shall never be said that Squan Creek made me give up my rights!"

Those five men were an obstinate lot, and they heaved Salathiel and his drum in together. The tide was just on the turn, and the drummer waved his hand to his wife and then began poundin' away as he floated out to sea. Long after he was out of sight we could hear the tum, tum, tum, and he had been gone two full hours before the last faint echoes died away. Salathiel Green and his big drum never returned, but Squan Creek was saved from annihilation, and from that day to this not so much as the strains of a mouth-organ have been heard on her streets.

Other Folks Might Laugh.

Making Distinctions

"Do you know much about music?"

"Not a great deal," answered Mr. Rim bod. "But I've managed to figure out that if you hear anything in a theater at the cost of five dollars per seat it's art, and if somebody sings the same thing in an adjacent flat or hammers it out on a piano it's an infernal racket. I'm getting on."—Washington Star.

Love in a Flat

"You don't care for a big house and lots of servants, do you?" he asked.

"Not at all," she replied promptly.

"Don't you think that love in a flat would be delightful?" he persisted.

"Yes," she answered, "love in a flat, but not life with one."

He postponed his proposal.—Chicago Post.

"What did you smash him foh?"

"He insulted a frien' ob mine."

"Go way! What did he say?"

"He said dat nex' ter me, my frien' wah de mos' ign'nt pusson in dis community."—Washington Star.

Helpful Advice.

"I sent a dollar to a woman for a recipe to make me look young."

"What did you get?"

"A card saying, 'Always associate with women 20 years older than yourself.'"—Chicago Record.

The Undertaker's Lot

He Tells of Some of the Many Sorrows and Drawbacks of His Peculiar Occupation

By CHARLES B. LEWIS. —Copyrighted

You see, ... began the undertaker in a plaintive voice as he extended his hand, if I was in the hardware business I'd probably have something new and novel in rat traps or potato mashers to show you, and if I was a grocer I could call your attention to fresh eggs, new teas and various sorts of jam. Even as a tailor or a cobbler it might prove interesting to interview me, but as an undertaker—

"But the business has its lights and shadows," I protested.

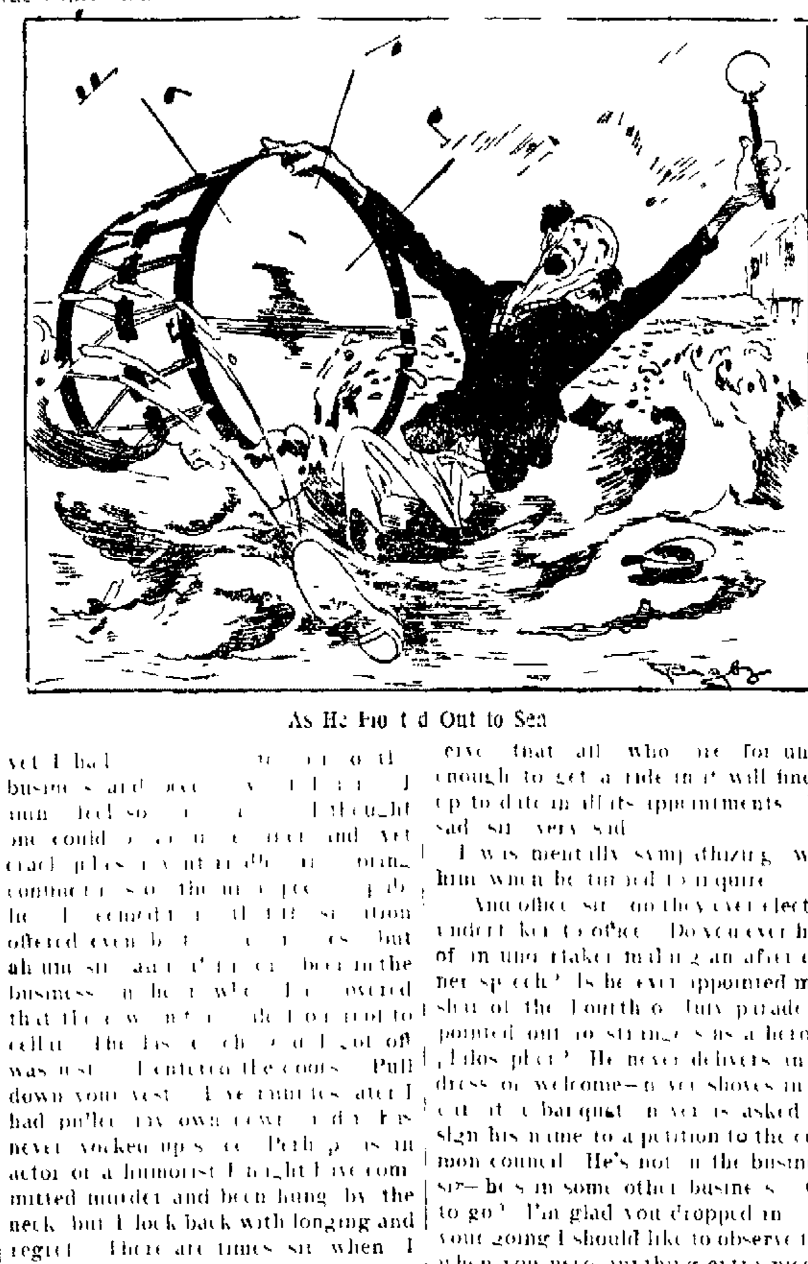
"All shadows, sir—all shadows," he mournfully replied. "Let us begin at the beginning. As a youth I was effervescent. I was always bubbling, always laughing, always given to mirth. I was always thinking of riddles and jokes and conundrums, and I had the reputation of being a wit. I am the person, sir, who got off that conundrum, 'Why is an elephant like a brick?' and I was only ... years old at the time. It was sover ... one guessed the answer, because he ... who first asked, 'What ails Harry Ann?' ... that query about Tom Collins and first exclaimed, 'Ah! there!'"

The man shook his head in a mournful way and sighed heavily ... begun to feel sorry for ... continued:

"I'd have been ... of the first water or a ... Artemus Ward. I was developing that way, and a fine and funny career was opening to me when my father steered me into the undertaking business and changed the tenor of my life. Look at the irony of fate, sir. ... the expression. I don't have to, and ... I was a butcher or a grocer or kept a shoe store or was a knight of the yard stick, but what opportunity does this business furnish? Can I ... tals asking people to give my goods a trial and giving a warranty that they will never go elsewhere after one purchase? Can I say that I am in business to give fits, and that prices are no object if customers are pleased? If I should get out dodgers to ... you ... prices ... goods can't ... come with the ... the police would have to keep off the mob. A grocer can advertise ... everybody ... up ... to buy, but I must sit with folded ... wait for custom ...

"I didn't know what to say to comfort him, and therefore kept silent ... was a long minute before he said:

"I never pick up a newspaper without ... puff for P... or Jones or Green. They have just received a fresh stock ... bargain ... down prices. They are ... enterprising ... fellows ... everybody is advised to ... are have first pick of the ... Did you ever ... puff for an undertaker, sir? Of course not. He can't be puffed. No newspaper can call him a hustler or put him on the back ... it is forbidden him to ... Now and then there is a ... paragraph that some undertaker has bought a new hearse, but the ... is never enlarged upon. It can't be. No newspaper ... the hope that the new ... will frequently be seen in the ... of ...



As He Floated Out to Sea

yet I had ... business and ... I thought one could ... and yet ... connect ... he ... offered ... business ... that ... cellar ... was ... down your vest. ... had ... never ... actor or a humorist I might have committed murder and been hung by the neck, but I look back with longing and regret. There are times, sir, when I positively come to ask a customer why a clam up a tree is like a hen in a well, and I have to hold on to myself to keep from remarking, 'Smother eye or Hardly ever.' I can't make you understand the feeling, sir.

"But there must be times, must be intervals, when you are alone, when you are out of the store, that you can indulge yourself?"

"Never—never a time, sir!" he groaned. "Once you get your voice attuned and your face set there must be no change. Your expression and speech are part of the business. There must be no trifling. Even when I wake up at midnight in my own bed and know that nobody can see or hear me I dare not trifle with my ... to softly whisper, 'Oh! Chee ...' No, sir; it would never do. If I was in the dry goods business I could sing out to you as you came in the door, 'Ah there, Chody!' but just imagine my greeting anybody that way in this business. I ... never laugh. Other folks ... a fat man strikes ... and claws ... and ... goes down with a whoop, but it is not for me, sir. ... the other ... to attend a minstrel show, but when I do attend ... it isn't over 15 minutes before the ... comes down with my money and whispers, 'Get out old man, you're freezing up the show.' I ... permit ... to smile now and then, but it ... smile of exhilaration ... No, sir. It must be a sad and sorrowful smile, something to make you think of a shaft with a lamb on top of it, even if you ... I know my line of business. Let me illustrate."

He smiled, and tears sprang to my eyes and my heart began to ache. He would have had me weeping in two minutes if he hadn't put the smile away to go on.

"And you see how it is when a customer comes in. I can't put on a cheery look and talk about great bargain sales, fresh stocks, newest designs and all that. And when they are ready to go I can't smile and bow and ask if there is anything more to-day and hope they will call again. I feel that I could write a drawing advertisement if ... erve that all who ... for unate enough to get a ride in it will find it up to date in all its appointments. It's sad, sir, very sad."

I was mentally sympathizing with him when he turned to inquire:

"Any other sir on the ... undertaker to office. Do you ever hear of an undertaker making an after dinner speech? Is he ever appointed marshal of the Fourth of July parade, or pointed out to strangers as a hero of ... He never delivers an address of welcome—never shoves in his ... a banquet—never is asked to sign his name to a petition to the common council. He's not in the business, sir—he's in some other business. Got to go? I'm glad you dropped in. In your going I should like to observe that when you need anything extra nice in my line call around and I'll give you bed rock figures, but you see, sir, you realize how it would strike you. I can't even ask you to drop a good word for me among your friends, nor hope you will call often. I am sorrowful, sir. It is my business to be sorrowful, and the nearest approach to levity I dare attempt is to observe that the winter boom seems to have set in and things are coming my way."

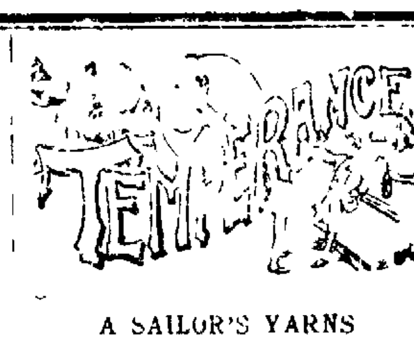
How It Happened

White Man—Nearly a hundred years old, eh? To what do you attribute your longevity, uncle?

Uncle Shinpaugh—Sah? Wat's dat yo' specifies 'bout co'stitution ob my longitude, sah?

White Man—Why, I asked you how it is that you have lived so long.

Uncle Shinpaugh—Uh, dat's it? I 'specks, sah, it's jes' kase I neber died.—Judge.

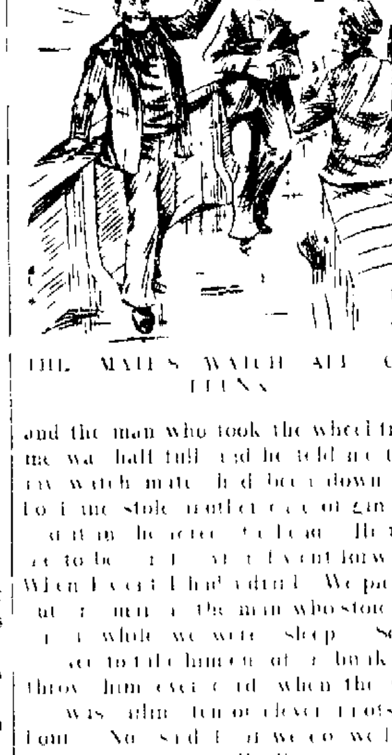


A SAILOR'S YARNS

How Liquor on Board Ship Plays Havoc with the Discipline of the Crew—Awful Experiences

The secret ... of the American Seamen's Friend society says in the Sailor's Magazine: One day not long ago an old ... came into the office and spun the following yarn to him, and they ... regard it ... predicted as a specimen of the evil ... of ... wave:

We were on the ... from Liverpool to Calcutta. We had good winds and all ... in the ... sail ... both sides of the ship. We couldn't ... wind for one, and the second ... me ... mother to the head to ... When we got down there ... boxes of ... and I noticed the ... come of them. I took a bottle ... and handed it to him. The ... watch being off, I jumped up and he ... the bottle up, and I put it in the ... one of my sea boots that night ... Off ... where I got it ... that night ... went down and got it ... up. We kept quiet for about three weeks ... the other ... did not know of ... One day one of our watch gave it away to a man in the other watch. They found out we had liquor and stole it from us. The mates watch all got drunk on deck and got to fighting. While the men were fighting around ... sailor was at the wheel for four hours. When I took the wheel from the ... the wind blew ... off the starboard side, the captain stood close to me on the lee side to smell my breath, but smelt no liquor on me because the other fellows had stolen it. I stayed at the wheel two hours till two o'clock



THE MATES WATCH ALL GOT DRUNK

and the man who took the wheel from me was half full and he told me that my watch mate had been down the ... and stole another ... of gin and ... he ... forward. When ... that ... We packed ... the man who stole the ... while we were sleep. Some ... to the ... of ... bunk and throw him ... when the vessel was ... We'll just get his ... and throw it overboard. We ... over the side. A ... went on then every day for two months. The captain knew about the liquor, but couldn't stop it. At last we got to Calcutta, and the captain hoisted a flag for the police ... before a magistrate ... tried for mutiny and broaching cargo on the high sea. Some got ... months, some six, some nine and some ... months.

There was a ship going to New Zealand with emigrants aboard, and the crew got hold of cases of candles and matches, and they lighted three or four candles in the hold to look for liquor. They found it and went down night after night and became crazy from the effects of the liquor ... and there was ... crew saved ... out of ... was nothing ... Port ... Helena ...

I went ... ship to ... in ... two ... but ... got hold of ... took the ... threw the ... liquor ... Sydney. Two weeks before we got there the captain found out we had been broaching cargo. My mate told me the carpenter told him that. I told him I didn't believe it, and that he was frightened because he had 60 pair. He and his partner threw away what slippers he got. Me and my partner got ours into Sydney and the captain never knew about it. We sold them to a Jew shop night after night.

Three years ago, when I was 67 years old, I was on a vessel at pier 9, New York ... man cook belonged to the Mariners church, and he took me up there several nights, and he was a good Christian. I went with him just to pass the time. ... many sailors give ... back ... an impression that I ... want to ... three months ... came to Christ. I never knew ... happiness ... now I want to do all the good I can ...

THE SOCIAL FEATURE.

Proves the Greatest Attraction of the Saloon—Experience of a Patron of Saloons

A ... of the New York ... point in the ... of ... had my ... were ... and ... of ... wants ... customers ... the ... the ... conviviality ... Considered ... stimulation was ... visited the saloons or drinks as well ... for social recreation, but even then under the influence of the attractive surroundings ... alcohol ... I needed much more money in the proprietors till than would have been the case had the ... been the sole object of my visit.

Sure Road to the Madhouse

One of the sure ... ending one's days in ... life ... of ... drunkenness ... memory ... who was known to be of intemperate habits was permitted to ... justice ... than ... maintaining that alcoholism was ... the ... that ... was ... of an inebriate. There is a singular instance on record of a merchant who ... that ... too well ... Cassell's Journal.

Intoxicants Fatal in Alaska

In ... Chicago ... who has spent ... in Alaska ... No one ... use ... without serious results ...

Face About

... because although ... century the church ... have been ... the ... an open ... for both itself ... policy for the ... the New Voice.

The ... of ... temperance ... have heard ... practically ... the ... excise ... commissioner ...

NOTES OF REFORM.

The ... vacation—New Voice.

With the ... of the law, the liquor traffic ... health and character.—New Voice.

The man who ... to be ... reform ... martyrdom.—National ...

Mr. Callis ... Carbondale ... liquor to her ... who was murdered after he left the saloon.

The Haverly ... temperance ... offered ... of $30 for the conviction of anyone concerned in the illegal sale of liquor.

Toronto, which has a population of 200,000, boasts of having "more universities than distilleries, more colleges than breweries, more churches than barrooms." Good for Toronto!

Mrs. Maxwell, the Miss Braddon of literary fame, never touches stimulants of any kind. For 40 years she has been at her arduous work, and her pen is still brilliant and apparently exhaustless. She attributes her perennial youth to her total abstinence.—Home Journal.

RED HOT FROM THE GUN

Was the ball that hit G. B. Steadman of Newark, Mich., in the civil war. It caused horrible ulcers that no treatment helped for 20 years. Then Bucklen's Arnica Salve cured him. Cures cuts, bruises, burns, boils, felons, corns, skin eruptions. Best pile cure on earth. 25 cts. a box. Cure guaranteed. Sold by Dreier & Bro., druggists.

Africa has nearly 700 languages, and this fact presents great difficulties to missionary effort.

Holiday Goods

For Christmas and New Years.

WHITE FRUIT HOUSE.

The ... Xmas and New Years will soon be upon us. In order to ... large ... goods. Not ... supplies were purchased only, thereby you ... The sugar market has taken a drop of a half cent per pound on all grades.

SUGARS DOWN ½c POUND

Choice ... Sugar ... lb	Coffee A Sugar ... lb
... Sugar ... lb	Powdered Sugar 5c lb
Cut Loaf ... lb	Powdered Sugar ... lb

COFFEES STILL REMAIN UNCHANGED

We now make a specialty of roasting our best Rio Coffee here at home, and in this way ... roasts ... than in packages. Besides you can see what you are buying, as it is loose and not in packages. This is quite a saving to our customers and a much better article.

Good Rio ... lb	Our best Roasted Rio ... lb
Very Best Green Rio ... lb	... Packages 10c lb
... Mocha ... lb	Roasted ... lb
Rich Mocha green ... lb	Roasted Mocha ... lb

TEAS · TEAS · TEAS

There ... this year ...

... Young Hyson ...	Best Imperial 50c lb
Extra ...	English ... lb
Very Best Young Hyson ... lb	Good Oolong ... lb
Gunpowder ... best ... lb	... Tea 40c ... lb
	Tea Dust ... package ... lb

CANNED GOODS

The ... supply the trade.

California Green Gages 14c can	Tidal Wave Tomatoes 8c can
California Egg Plums 14c can	Chester Sugar Corn 7c can
California Apricots 16c can	Egyptian Cream Corn 10c can
California Peaches 16c can	Early June Peas 9c can
California White Cherries ...c can	String Beans ...c can

DRIED FRUITS

The market on dried fruits has been affected the same as canned goods.

California Raisins ...c lb	Evaporated Apples 10c lb
Best California Raisins 11c lb	Domestic Apples 7c lb
California Apricots 16c lb	Pitted Cherries 12c lb
California Prunes 8c and 9c lb	New Currants 8c lb
	No 1 Raspberries ...c lb

FISH · FISH · FISH

Family White Fish ... $1.50	Best Mackerel kit $2.10
Fancy White Fish kit ...	Scotch Herring keg $1
No 1 White Fish kit $1.00	Holland Herring keg $1.10
Mackerel kit $1.25	Best Georges Bank Cod Fish whole 7c
Labrador Herring ...	Summer Cured Cod Fish 7c

OILS—HARNESS, NEATSFOOT, LINSEED AND MACHINE

Harness Oil ...c gallon	Machine Oil Dark 20c gal
Boiled Linseed Oil ...c gallon	Neatsfoot 60c gallon
Raw Linseed Oil ...c gallon	Fish Oil 60c gallon
Castor Oil ...c gal	Lard Oil 60c gallon
Machine Oil ...c gallon	

MAPLE SYRUP, OTHER SYRUPS AND NEW ORLEANS MOLASSES

Golden Drips ...c per gallon	Good New Orleans Molasses 15c gal
Best New Orleans ...c gal	Rich Yellow Sorghum 30c gal
Maple Syrup 7...c per gallon	... Maple Syrup in bottles ...c

WINES AND LIQUORS FOR MEDICAL USE ONLY

Kelley's Island Catawba 70c gallon	California Angelica 80c gallon
...	California Muscatel 80c gallon
California Sherry 80c gallon	Wines in bottles 25c and 30c
German Kuemmel $1.50 gallon	Whiskies new $1.10 and $1.25 gallon
German Kuemmel bottles 60c	Whiskies old $1.40, $1.75 and $2.50 gallon

FINE CUT AND PLUG TOBACCO AND CIGARS

Pay Car Fine Cut ...c lb	Horse Shoe Plug 45c lb
Sweet ... Fine Cut ...c lb	Battle Ax ... plug ... lb
Haw... Fine Cut ...c lb	Standard Navy Plug ... plug
Our Mary Cigars ...c per box	Bamboo Smoking 25c lb
Artistic Cigars 65c per box	Golden Star Smoking ...c lb
Fan Cigars $1.... per box	Mail Pouch ...c lb

CANDIES OF ALL KINDS

Pure Stick ... lb ...c	Bon Bons extra 10c lb
Pure French Mixed 7c lb	Bon Bon Fruit 20c lb
French Mottoes 12c lb	Cinnamon Drops 10c lb
Gum Drops 8c lb	Peppermint Lozenges 10c lb

TOYS FOR CHRISTMAS AND NEW YEARS

Our stock ... assortment ... to the Dolls, Albums, Vases, China Sets, Dogs, ... Horses, ... Drums, Monkeys, Parrots and ... goods as Santa Claus carries ... can be suited in buying presents from 5c up to $1.00. ... candles are cheap this year ... 8c for a box that we ... sold for 12c. All kinds of Xmas tree ornaments such as Colored Balls, Golden Drum ... for tree decorations.

Carpets, Mattings, Oil Cloth, Linoleums and Window Shades

We have a large line and nice assortment of Oil Cloths, Carpets and Window Shades. We keep all grades and prices. The whole corner is devoted to these goods so you can find a good display at low prices.

Window Shades good 10c each	Linoleum, good 85c yard
Window Shades extra 25c each	Linoleum best $1.40 yard
Window Shades, best 30c each	Floor Oil Cloth good 22c yard
Rag Carpet, good, per yard, 22c.	Floor Oil Cloth best 30c yard
Rag Carpet, home made, per yard, 35c	Ingrain Carpets good, 29c yard
Brussels Carpet, good, yard 35c	Ingrain Carpets, 50c yard
Brussels Carpet, best, yard 67c.	Extra Supers per yard 60c

Be sure and give us a call and we will save you 20 per cent on above goods.

White Fruit House.

FORT WAYNE, INDIANA.

WEATHER INDICATIONS.

COOLER TONIGHT; FAIR SUNDAY.

The Fort Wayne Sentinel

Many rooms in Heaven

By Talmage. Read it.

ESTABLISHED 1833. FORT WAYNE, IND., SATURDAY, NOV. 11, 1899. PRICE FIVE CENTS.

REBELS FLEEING.

AGUINALDO HAS ABANDONED HIS POSITION.

CHASE IS TOO HOT FOR HIM

IMPORTANT DISPATCHES ARE CAPTURED.

SAYS POWERS WILL AID HIM

DEPENDS ON THE DEMOCRATS, HE DECLARES.

Washington, Nov. 11.—The following dispatch was received from General Otis this morning:

"Manila, Nov. 11.—A number of official insurgent dispatches captured yesterday by General Young's troops in the north and forwarded by Lawton last night. They indicate directed abandonment by enemy of country in vicinity of Cabanatuan and San Jose and hurried movement by way of Taying over mountains to Bayonbonay, thence on to Apaira. Among the dispatches the following appears:

"'Tarlac, Nov. 5, 1899.—Otis did not accept proposition today; enemy attacked our outposts because Otis promised McKinley to take Tarlac today; think they cannot break through. Take care of prisoners, as therein lies our great hopes, especially (for) our wives. There is no such miscruit (?) either by the government or by Miong. Spanish commissioners tried to deceive us; dealing with us as insurgents; our government sent them away and they withdrew greatly displeased. Quadruple alliance between Germany, France, Russia and Spain is a fact.

"'Before December we will know our fate. Throughout Europe there is sympathy for our cause—American democrats clearly in our favor; they are sure of Bryan's triumph next election. Pay no attention to your affairs and never mind the rest.'".

The dispatches are given verbatim as received, with several unintelligible words including "miscruit." Inquiry is being made to learn whether this is a cable error or a word used in the insurgent dispatch.

THE MICHIGAN BOYS SCORE

LINED UP WITH THE BOYS OF PENNSYLVANIA.

Some Fast Playing and at the End of the First Half the Score is 5 to 0.

Philadelphia, Pa., Nov. 11.—The foot ball teams of the University of Pennsylvania and University of Michigan met for the first time in battle array on Franklin Field today in the presence of 5,000 people and at the end of the first half the Quakers had been scored against, while themselves had been blanked.

William A. Brooks, of Harvard, umpired and William H. Corbin, of Yale, was referee.

Laurie Bliss, of Yale, was timekeeper.

THE LINE-UP.

Following is the line-up:

Penna.	Position.	Michigan.
Stehle	left end	Juttner
Snover	left tackle	MacDonald
Hare—Capt.	left guard	Bliss
Overfield	center	Cunningham
Teas	right guard	France
Wallace	right tackle	Streckle—Capt.
Coombs	right end	Snow
Woodley	quarter back	Street
Kennedy	left half back	McLean
Outland	right half back	Leibice
McCracken	full back	White

Pennsylvania won the toss and chose the kick-off. After some fast playing in which Michigan made steady gains, McLean took the ball round the left end twenty yards for a touch-down. Snow failed to kick goal. The score at the end of the first half was:

Michigan, 5; Pennsylvania, 0.

ANTI-MORMON LEAGUE.

A meeting of delegates from several of the young people's societies of the churches in the city was held in the lecture rooms of the Baptist church Thursday evening for the purpose of forming an anti-Mormon league. The different churches were well represented and the league has every prospect of success. Officers were elected as follows: Chairman, Joseph Siemon; secretary, E. R. Gesaman; treasurer, Mandeville Chambers. It is the object of this league to work against the influences of Mormonism in this vicinity and it is a branch of the national league at New York city. Resolutions protesting against the seating of Congressman Roberts were drawn up and approved and will be forwarded to the headquarters in New York. The league will invite the pastors of the city to deliver lectures on Mormonism in the different churches of the city. Another meeting will be held in the Baptist church next Thursday evening for the purpose of completing the organization.

MAYORS TALK TELEPHONE.

Mayors Scherer, of Fort Wayne, and Dungan, of Huntington, are in Chicago today in conference with the officers of the Central Union Telephone company. The mayors are a committee appointed by the Indiana Municipal league to secure, if possible, concessions from the telephone companies for the transaction of offical business. The United and Home Telephone companies have granted the request of the league.

HARD FIGHT WITH ROBBERS

OFFICER AND ROBBER KILLED AT TITUSVILLE.

Ticket Office Looted, After Which the Bandits Held Up Inmates of a Bagnio.

Titusville, Pa., Nov. 11.—Three masked robbers blew open the safe at the D. A. V. & P. R. R. ticket office late last night, but secured only about $20. The bandits then went to a disorderly house on East Spring street, and on entering presented revolvers and proceeded to relieve the proprietress and inmates of what valuables they had, reported as amounting to $1,000 worth of jewels and $500 in cash.

Chief of Police McGrath, meanwhile, had discovered their whereabouts and in company with Officer Sheepy attempted their arrest. A pitched battle ensued in which about twenty shots were fired, three of which struck Chief McGrath in the abdomen and two in the left shoulder. Officer Sheepy was shot in the mouth, the ball passing through the side of the neck and inflicting a dangerous wound.

In the confusion the robbers escaped from the house. Later the dead body of one of the robbers was found near the radiator works, about two blocks from the scene of the combat, with a bullet through his breast. There is a rumor that another of the gang is lying badly wounded at East Titusville.

WILL GIVE A CIRCUS.

The Fort Wayne lodge of Elks has closed a contract for the production of the Day & Hascall burlesque circus, and a whole train load of fun is in store for the people of Fort Wayne. The attraction is a complete indoor burlesque of the circus, including the ever present parade, and all the characters are to be assumed by local Elks. The circus will be given at the Masonic Temple two nights about the middle of December, and the proceeds are for charity.

LOCAL LINES.

Mrs. J. Baxter and daughter, of Auburn, visited friends in the city on Friday.

F. M. Shulze, of Circleville, Ohio, is the guest of his mother, Mrs. F. E. Shulze.

Mrs. J. C. Ryan, of Hicksville, is the guest of Mrs. Fred Eckart, of East Wayne street.

The Pi Kappa Phi club, composed of high school young people, were entertained at the home of Fred Nutting Friday evening.

It is expected that Victor W. Dorris will be in the city the latter part of next week and remain over Sunday. If so, he will speak at the West Jefferson street Chuch of Christ Saturday evening and at both services on Sunday, the 19th.

Miss Louise Meyer, of Pontiac street, entertained the Amaranthus club last evening in honor of her birthday anniversary. Members of this club are the Misses Tillie and Olga Anderson, Minnie and Lillie Nessel, Della Scheuman, Bertha and Alma Gerberding, Mary Dudenhofer, Loretta and Clara Stenner, Louise and Clara Meyer.

Mrs. Wagner, of East Washington street, was tendered a surprise party Friday afternoon by the members of the East End club in honor of her birthday anniversary. The guests spent a most enjoyable afternoon and Mrs. Wagner was made the recipient of many beautiful and useful presents, among which was a handsome clock. Supper was served at 5 o'clock.

OFF FOR THE WAR.

THE HOUSEHOLD TROOPS GO TO SOUTH AFRICA.

LAST INFANTRY REGIMENTS

QUEEN MAKES A FAREWELL ADDRESS.

VERY ANXIOUS IN ENGLAND

BELIEVE BAD NEWS IS BEING CONCEALED.

London, Nov. 11.—The last infantry battalions under orders for South Africa left England today and the last of the Hussars also sailed, leaving the Household regiment the only cavalry still to be dispatched, and last, but not by any means least, the First Battery of the Howitzer artillery has started.

Great things are expected of the Howitzer battery, of which there are only three in the British army. These 5 5-6-inch breech-loaders are claimed to be of a superior character and are expected to be particularly serviceable in removing the Boers from the hills.

MUCH ANXIETY.

The utter absence of news of any importance is having its effect on the nerves of the country and the references in the censored dispatches to heavy losses heightens the anxiety. It is pointed out that the absence of serious news in such dispatches as have been received from General White proves nothing, as the general is not likely to send by pigeon anything unpleasant or indicative of anxiety, carriers being so liable to fall into the hands of the Boers. There are signs that the greater part of the Boers are concentrating between Ladysmith and Colenso, but the stories are so contradictory that it is impossible to assert this absolutely.

BOERS RISK MUCH.

If true, it is pointed out that while it cuts off Ladysmith, the risk to the Boers is also great, for it will give General White a great chance to intercept retreat when Lord Methune's division advances from the southward, unless, in the meanwhile, General Joubert succeeds in crushing the beleaguered garrison.

That the latter is completing preparations for a series of desperate attacks on General White's position is not doubted, and heavy fighting may be heard of at any moment.

General White's forces, it is asserted, must be enduring a daily ordeal, which will hardly improve their fighting efficiency, and the danger of the shortness of ammunition looms up largely.

DEPENDS ON LADYSMITH.

On the development of the situation at Ladysmith in the immediate future depends, probably, the duration of the war. It is pointed out that if General White can maintain his position until November 26 or November 28, the British authorities will be fully satisfied that all danger in Natal will be over. Should he fail to do so and be compelled to abandon his guns and stores and retire with heavy loss southward, where he will meet the Boers in position on the Tugela river, it is impossible to predict what may happen. On the other hand, the critics say, should the situation at Ldysmith not be materially changed before November 28, it is confidently predicted that the majority of the Boer force will be caught between the two British forces and compelled to retreat over the difficult Tintwa Pass or Liversloock, after abandoning its guns. However, the Boers have expressed the intention of capturing Ladysmith, and then marching on the capital of Natal, and the fact of their retaining Tugela bridge intact argues confidence in their ability to carry out their plans.

A FLANKING MOVEMENT.

General Schalkburger's flanking movement, via Zululand, must shortly develop, if it is to be effective, but the experts here scout the suggestion that, with the reinforcements already there and the big naval guns continually arriving at Pietermartzburg, there can be only serious danger.

There is nothing corroborative of the rumor from Brest of a disaster to a British troop ship. The admiralty has no knowledge of any such occurrence.

Sunshine so brilliant that it compelled Queen Victoria to resort to a sunshade for protection greeted her majesty's return to Windsor this morning when she inspected three detachments of the Household cavalry bound for South Africa. The Royal Horseguards and the Second Life Guards had journeyed up from London, joining the First Life Guards. Amid scenes of great enthusiasm the troops formed in two lines, unmounted in Khaiki uniform. An immense crowd of people witnessed the assembly.

Brigadier General Trotten, the district commander, with his full staff, conducted the inspection.

THE QUEEN'S FAREWELL.

The queen's farewell to the soldiers was as follows:

"I have called you here today, my soldiers, who are always near to me, to say farewell before you cross the seas to a distant part of my empire to assist your comrades who are fighting so bravely for your sovereignty and country. I know you will always do your duty, as heretofore, and I pray God to bless you and give you a safe return."

A STARTLING RUMOR.

Brest, France, Nov. 11.—Rumors are in circulation here that a British transport has foundered off the Island of Ushant, on the coast of Britanny.

BOMBARDING KIMBERLEY.

Pretoria, Tuesday, Nov. 7.—The bombardment and attack on Kimberley started this morning.

DEATHS AND FUNERALS.

STEWART.

After a brief illness of but two days Miss Helen Stewart, the beautiful and accomplished daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John L. Stewart, died at 6:30 o'clock this morning at the family residence, 234 West Berry street. Miss Stewart was but seventeen years of age, and a member of the First Presbyterian church of this city. Her bright and lovable disposition were notable in a combination of admirable qualities which had won her a wide circle of friends, who share the unspeakable grief of the bereaved family.

Funeral services will be held Monday, Nov. 13, at 2 o'clock from the residence, 234 West Berry street. The interment will be private.

RHOADS.

Mrs. Eliza Rhoads (colored) died at an early hour this morning at the home of her son-in-law, Rev. Brown, 125 Eliza street, at the age of seventy-four years. Mrs. Rhoads was a widow and came to the city from Washington, D. C., about fifty years ago. Her death was due to old age. The funeral services will be held Sunday afternoon at 1:30 from the residence and at 2 o'clock from the A. M. E. church.

LALLOW.

August Lallow died Friday night at his home at Heller's Corners, aged seventy-two years. Death was caused by dropsy. He leaves a wife and five children. The deceased had been a resident of Allen county for about twenty-five years. The funeral services will be held from the late residence at 9 o'clock Monday morning.

"THE HOLY CITY" CANTATA.

The choir of the First Presbyterian church, assisted by the choirs of the Baptist, Trinity English Lutheran and several singers from choirs of different churches of the city, will render "The Holy City," a sacred cantata, at the First Presbyterian church tomorrow afternoon at 3:30. This service will take the place of the evening service. Following is the program:

Tenor solo, "My Soul is Athirst for God," by C. L. Olds.

Alto solo, "Eye Hath Not Seen," by Miss Edith Yarnelle.

Baritone solo, "A New Heaven and a New Earth," by Charles E. Worden.

Tenor solo, "To the Lord Our God," by E. F. Yarnelle.

Alto solo, "Come, Ye Blessed," by Mrs. William Miles.

Duet, "They Shall Hunger No More," by Mrs. S. C. Moffat and Miss Edith Yarnelle.

Baritone solo, "I Heard the Voice," by Charles E. Worden.

Following is the chorus: Sopranos—Mrs. S. C. Moffat, Misses Grace Harding, Ida Warrick and Irene Thomas; altos—Mrs. William Miles, Misses Edith Yarnelle, Lillian Mathias and Miss Homans; tenors—Messrs. C. L. Olds, E. F. Yarnelle, Hugh McLetchie and Clint Willson; bassos—Messrs. Amelius J. Lang, Charles E. Worden, Samuel R. Taylor and August M. Schmidt.

The chorus will be directed by Prof. Rienza Thomas and he will preside at the organ. He will play the instrumental introduction and the intermezzo.

The following young gentlemen are in Rome City for a few days on a hunting trip: Donald McDonald, Fred Ash, Frank Davis, Morris Evans and William Turner. They are stopping at the McDonald cottage.

MUNICIPAL NEWS.

HUNDREDS OF CHILDREN VACCINATED THIS WEEK.

HEALTH OFFICE IS CROWDED

COUNCIL COMMITTEE OF WHOLE MAKES A REPORT.

ASK MR. ALDERMAN FOR DEED

WILL REPORT FAVORABLY ON MANY ORDINANCES.

Fort Wayne physicians have had more patients this week than at any time in a decade. The order for the vaccination of children has been generally obeyed and thousands of the little ones have had vaccine injected into their arms during the six days just passed. This has been the big day for the doctors, there being no school, and every physician has had scores of patients. At the city hall there was a crowd of children during the entire day and Dr. Drayer has been very busy. A record of each vaccination is kept and City Clerk Monning has been as busy as the bacteriologist in making this record. The board of health vaccinates only those children whose parents cannot afford to pay. On Thursday Dr. Drayer vaccinated 105 children, on Friday 86 and before today is ended he will probably have vaccinated 200 or more. There are no symptoms of a spread of the disease, although it has been reported to the board of health that one of the persons in quarntine had violted the board's orders and left the house during the nighttime. The board, however, has been unable to substantiate the rumor.

THROATS EXAMINED.

A physician yesterday visited the Hoagland school and examined the throats of the children in the lower grades. There are several cases of scarlet fever in the neighborhood of children who attend the school and it was deemed advisable to make an examination. There was only one suspicious case and this child was sent home.

COUNCIL COMMITTEES.

Less than one-half the council visited the southeastern part of the city Friday and viewed the tracts of land which it is proposed to annex to the city. Those councilmen who were there, however, walked over the property and later met with other councilmen at the city hall and discussed the proposed annexation. Some of the councilmen are not altogether pleased with annexation of some of the property but it was finally determined that if Frank Alderman would deed to the city land for the opening of force and Gay streets from the present city limits to the first alley north of Eckarts Lane the annexation ordinance would be passed. The city will then bear the expense of opening the street. The matter was then referred to the councilmen from the Seventh and Tenth wards and the city attorney.

The committee on streets visited the tract east of Walton avenue which it has been proposed to annex and it is probable will make a favorable report. There are numerous homes in the tract and residents desire to send their children to the public schools. The board of works may be able to induce the Pennsylvania company to build a tunnel under Walton avenue if the property is annexed.

MORE ORDINANCES.

The council committee on rules, regulations and ordinances met in the city clerk's office Friday evening and discussed the last batch of ordinances prepared by City Attorney Shambaugh. Among them was the misdemeanor ordinance submitted at a recent council meeting by the city attorney. The amendment makes it unlawful for any person to be in any crowd, or upon the streets, who is unable to give an account of himself. This is designed to give the police authority to arrest known crooks and confidence men who come to town on the eve of large gatherings. Against these men usually no substantial charge can be brought and they must be left to mingle with the crowds. The new amendment will give the police authority to catch any such thief, pickpocket, or confidence man, lock him up until after a celebration or other cause for a gathering is over, and then send him out of town. The other ordinances presented were one regulating the moving of houses, and the other referred to the committee at the last meeting. The ordinances will be reported favorably.

LODGE OFFICERS ELECTED.

Fort Wayne Homestead, Brotherhood of American Yeomen, completed their organization last night and elected the following officers for the unexpired term: Foreman, J. W. Brown; master of ceremonies, Urban Hoffman; correspondent, S. D. Engle; master of accounts, C. E. Hadsell; physician, Dr. E. E. Morgan; overseer, M. R. Hardendorf; Lady Rowena, Miss M. A. Russell; Lady Rebecca, Miss Jessie M. Karber; watchman, Geo. H. Crouse; sentinel, Chas. F. Fry; guard, C. J. Krouper. Homestead will meet Friday night, 17th inst. Everyone is requested to be present.

TEN MEN PERISHED AT SEA

LOSS OF SCHOONER WILLIAM M. BIRD REPORTED.

Wrecked in the October Hurricane Off the Frying Pan Shoals North Carolina.

Philadelphia, Pa., Nov. 11.—News has been received here that the Philadelphia schooner William M. Bird, from Charleston, S. C., to New London, Conn., was wrecked in the October hurricane off the Frying Pan shoals, North Carolina, and ten of the crew, including Captain Barrett, perished.

Two survivors, George W. Loud, the mate, and George Robinson, seaman, have been landed at Salisbury, Md., by the schooner Samuel T. Beachem, from Jacksonville, Fla., which vessel rescued them on the afternoon of November 3, twenty-nine miles southwest of the Frying Pan lightship.

The survivors had been without food or water for ninety hours and suffered great hardships, having chewed the leather of their shoes to keep from starving. They have not yet recovered sufficiently to tell just how their comrades perished, but they state in a incoherent manner that the last men were swept off one by one from the wreck as their strength grew weaker, and drowned.

The William M. Bird, as Captain John Steelman, of the Beachem, states, became waterlogged at 11 p. m. on October 30, and was a complete wreck five minutes afterward.

LUTHER ANNIVERSARY.

An entertainment was given in the St. John's Lutheran school hall, Friday evening, in honor of the anniversary of the birth of Martin Luther. The entertainment was given under the auspices of the Luther society of the church, and was a decided success in every way. The orchestra of the church and the Choral society gave selections during the evening. The chief features of the program were the reading of papers dealing with the life and works of the great reformer. Among the papers were the following: "Luther as a Monk," by Prof. A. Oelke; "Luther in the Wartburg," by Miss Dora Imbrock; "Luther's Marriage," by Miss Martha Stumpf; "Luther's Letters," by Prof. Philip Scharman; "Luther as a Philanthropist," by Miss Anna Betz. J. Stumpf gave a reading on Count Von Erbach, after which a dialogue sketch was given by Rev. Dannecker, the chief feature of which was the monk, John Tetzel, who was accused by Luther of selling indulgences, and against whom his first theses were issued. Messrs. William Lapp, William Braun, William Trautman, John Immel and Ed. Bittler were the actors in the character sketch. The festivities were brought to a close by the singing by the Choral society and the audience of Luthers most celebrated hymn, "Ein Fester Burg Ist Unser Gott."

A STOLEN SKIRT.

Claude Rehling, a painter, who is charged with stealing a $12 skirt from Mrs. Masterson, of the International Business college, was arrested this afternoon by Detective Coling and Deputy Sheriff Whitney at Rehling's home on Melita street. The skirt has been recovered and Rehling is in jail.

MARRIAGE LICENSE.

Marvin C. Wallace and Lillian M. Springer.

Spencer Center, boiler inspector at the Pennsylvania roundhouse, who had an eye injured, is still suffering from the injury, though there is no danger of losing the sight. Mr. Center resides at 193 Barr street.

HANDLE FACTORY.

THE NEW INDUSTRY READY FOR BUSINESS.

STARTS UP NEXT MONDAY

WITH A FORCE OF THIRTY WORKMEN.

OUTLOOK EXCEEDINGLY GOOD

WILL BRING SEVERAL NEW FAMILIES TO CITY.

The Withington Handle factory is completed and work will be commenced therein next Tuesday. It had been intended that the men should go to work Monday, but there is one shafting that must be placed before operations commence. A Sentinel reporter talked with General Manager R. W. Vaughn, who has moved his family here from Huntington. He says that about thirty men will be employed and already eight families have moved to Fort Wayne from Huntington. The Nickel Plate railway has built two switches to the factory and it is expected that there will be big shipments for export trade. More than $10,000 has been invested in the plant and Mr. Vaughn believes that it will be a paying institution from the beginning. General Withington, of Jackson, Mich., is interested in several handle factories and will often be a Fort Wayne visitor. Mr. Vaughn will manage both the Fort Wayne and Huntington branches, spending a day or two each week in Huntington. Only ash timber is used and already the farmers and timber dealers about Fort Wayne are delivering thousands of feet of logs to the factory. The new factory promises to be one of Fort Wayne's substantial industries.

ROYAL LEAGUE TO BANQUET.

Anthony Wayne council No. 166, Royal League, will hold a notable meeting Monday evening. Charles E. Piper, of Chicago, supreme scribe, and Charles Darling, of Indianapolis, state organizer for Indiana, will be present. A large class of candidates will be admitted and the members of the newly organized Old Fort council will be present. At the close of the work a banquet will be served.

SAID HE WASN'T DRUNK.

The only prisoner who confronted Acting Mayor Huser this morning was John Brown (fictitious name), who had been arrested for drunkenness by Officer Paul. Brown entered a plea of not guilty and told the acting mayor that the officer admitted that he had the wrong man while they were at the patrol box, but he would get the other man. Officer Paul testified that Brown was drunk and offered to bring in a sergeant and patrol driver to substantiate his testimony, but Mr. Huser didn't think it necessary and assessed a fine of $1 and costs. Brown paid his fine and demanded a receipt for the money and threatened to bring suit for damages.

On Friday afternoon Mesdames J. M. Van Camp and J. A. Ludington entertained at the home of Mrs. Van Camp from 2 to 5. The event was a thimble party, and about forty of their friends were present. The decorations were chrysanthemums, carnations, roses and ferns. A feature of the occasion was the guessing on illustrations of titles of books by popular authors, Mrs. T. B. Spalding winning first prize and Mrs. F. Reichelderfer the consolation award. In the evening about twelve couples of their friends were entertained at progressive games, Mrs. N. Conover and E. Gordon winning first prizes and Mrs. S. D. Melsheimer and B. W. Skelton the consolations. Dainty refreshments were served in courses both afternoon and evening and music was rendered during refreshments. Miss Faye Van Camp presided at the punch bowl and Miss Katherine Bogle, of Indianapolis, assisted in receiving.

ELKS' MEMORIAL SERVICE.

The Fort Wayne lodge of Elks will hold its annual memorial services at Masonic Temple on the evening of Sunday, December 3. The general eulogy will be pronounced by Judge S. A. Court, of Sandusky, Ohio, one of the most prominent Elks in the United States.

Mrs. Hugh Olds left Friday for Ridgeville, Ohio, where she will join her husband.

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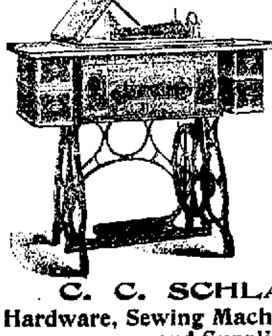

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THE MARKETS.

Chicago, Nov. 11.—Wheat opened a shade under yesterday's close today, December at 67½c and May at 71¼@71⅜c. Liverpool, despite the decline here yesterday, was steady. Statistics generally were bearish. Commission houses were the principal sellers. The market eased off from the opening figures, December to 67¼@67⅜c and May to 71⅛c. The expectation that Monday's statistics would be bearish and liberal northwest receipts were factors in the decline. Minneapolis and Duluth received 1,039 cars, compared with 723 last week and 1,229 the corresponding day of last year. Receipts here were 66 cars, 28 of which were of contract grade.

Monday's statistics are expected to show world's shipments of about 8,000,000 bushels, an increase in Chicago's stock of 1,000,000 and an increase visible of 2,000,000 bushels or more.

Corn was rather easy for deferred futures, but steady for the December options. December opened unchanged at 31¼@31⅜c and May a shade lower at 32½@32⅝c. Small country offerings and firm cables were the cause of the weakness. The price eased off a bit on profit-taking, December to 31⅛c and May to 32⅜@32½c. Shorts were buyers on a moderate scale at the decline. Receipts here were 231 cars.

Oats opened unchanged to a shade lower, December at 22⅜c and May at 23¾@23⅞c, holding firm with corn. There was almost no speculative business.

Provisions were lower with wheat, lack of demand and lower hog prices. January pork opened 5c lower at $9.62½; January lard a shade under at $5.22½@5.25 and January ribs a shade lower at $4.97½@5.00.

Business was very light.

THE CLOSE.

Prices at the close were as follows:

Wheat—Nov., 66⅝c; Dec., 67⅜c; May, 71⅛c.

Corn—Nov., 31½c; Dec., 31¼@31⅜c; Jan., 30¼c; May, 32⅜@32½c.

Oats—Nov., 22¼@22⅜c; Dec., 22¼@22⅝c; May, 23¾@23⅞c.

Pork—Nov., $8.20; Dec., $8.30; Jan., $9.60; May, $9.67.

Lard—Nov., $5.02½; Dec., $5.02½@5.10; Jan., $5.22½; May, $5.37½.

Ribs—Nov., $4.85; Dec., $4.85@4.87½; Jan., $4.95.

Flax—Cash N. W., $1.27¾; Cash S. W., $1.27¼; Dec., $1.27½; May, $1.27½.

CHICAGO LIVE STOCK.

Chicago, Nov. 11.—Cattle—Receipts, 400. Market steady; yards well cleared. Beeves, $4.40@6.60; cows, $3.40@4.60; heifers, $3:10@5.20; canners, $1.85@3.00; stockers and feeders, $3.00@4.15; Texas grass steers, $3.25@4.10; Texas fed beeves, $4.20@5.50; westerns, $4.00@5.30.

Hogs—Receipts today,20,000; Monday, 33,000; left over, 2,453. Market generally 5c lower. Mixed and butchers, $3.95@4.35; good to choice heavy, $4.00@4.25; rough heavy, $3.85@3.95; light, $3.95@4.20; bulk of sales, $4.05@4.70.

THE DAY ON WALL STREET.

New York, Nov. 11.—Higher quotations from London served to hold up prices of railroads, but a number of the specialties were inclined to heaviness, notably Manhattan, which dropped over a point, and Brooklyn Transit almost as much.

The market was irregular, independent movements of importance occurring in leading stocks. Railways, with but few exceptions, were advanced, but the local group, the Readings and some of the metal issues sagged sharply. In the industrial divisions Sugar, General Electric and Leather rose strongly, but People's Gas and Tobacco fell away. Toward 11 o'clock there was a sharp rally on the Traction stocks and conspicuous buying of the Grangers, but prices were not well held.

Prices broke after 11 o'clock and rallied before the bank statement, Tennessee Coal yielding ⅝. There were free offerings brought out by the bank statement, but declines were not severe in the railroad list. In Manhattan, Sugar, the Coalers, Tobacco, Metropolitan and Leather there was marked weakness, the extreme losses reaching from 2 to 3 points. The covering by the bears worked some sharp rallies. The closing was quiet and steady at small net losses except in the specialties.

THE MONEY MARKET.

New York, Nov. 11.—Money on call easier at 3 per cent; prime mercantile paper, 5@5¾ per cent; sterling exchange irregular with actual business in bankers' bills at $4.85¾@4.86 for demand and at $4.81½@4.81¾ for 60 days; posted rates, $4.82@4.83 and $4.86½@4.87; commercial bills, $4.81; silver certificates, 59½@60½c; bar silver, 59¼c; Mexican dollars, 47½c.

THE BOND MARKET.

New York, Nov. 11.—State bonds inactive; railroad bonds irregular; government bonds irregular:

U. S. 2s registered	100¾
U. S. 3s registered	108¾
U. S. 3s coupon	108⅝
U. S. 4s registered (new)	129¾
U. S. 4s coupon (new)	129¾
U. S. 4s registered (old)	112¾
U. S. 4s coupon (old)	112¾
U. S. 5s registered	110⅞
U. S. 5s coupon	110⅞

COURT NEWS.

Charles Reprogle, whose jail sentence expired today, was arraigned for cruelty to animals before 'Squire France.

In the provoke case commenced by Frank Kritzer against his ex-wife, Maude Kritzer, a change of venue was taken from Justice France to Justice Rayhouser, of Washington township, who is hearing the evidence this afternoon.

The board of children's guardians held a meeting this afternoon in the law office of A. H. Bittinger.

Justice France fined Kate Sowers $1 and costs for assault and battery on Carrie Bellamy. Defendant entered a plea of guilty.

In Justice Bullerman's court William Sovine has filed an affidavit charging James Hathawny with assault and battery. The assault is alleged to have occurred last Thursday evening at a wedding in Eel River township. Hathaway attempted to force Sovine to drink a glass of adulterated beer and because Sovine wouldn'tdo it Hathaway threw the beer on him and committed an assault. The testimony is real racy.

Clayton Lindemuth, guardian of Benjamin F. Fonner, has been ordered by Judge O'Rourke to sell his ward's property.

Judge O'Rourke heard evidence in the case of Robert Mercer, guardian of Phoebe Catherine Van Horn vs. James Van Horn and Henry Eigenberg, a suit to set aside deed. The judge dismissed the case without prejudice at plaintiff's cost.

Maria Bahrdt et al. has commenced a partition suit against Christopher Bahrdt et al. C. W. Kuhne is plaintiff's attorney.

MADE ITS FIRST VISIT.

The county board of charities and corrections began its visits of inspection to the public institutions this morning, going first to the county asylum and then to the orphans' home. The board is composed of Col. R. S. Robertson, George A. Gale, Dr. C. B. Stemen, James B. White, Mrs. W. P. Cooper and Mrs. Rudisill. They will visit all the charitable and correctional institutions in the county and make reports to the judge of the circuit court, the county commissioners and the state board of charities and corrections.

ELKS TO SHOW FOR CHARITY

COMMITTEE IS NOW MAKING ARRANGEMENTS.

Haskell & Day Burlesque Circus—Fort Wayne Elks Will Be the Actors.

The Elks at the meeting last night decided to give an entertainment for charity in December and Louis Heilbroner, Sid C. Hubbard, Dr. W. W. Mungen, Dr. R. S. Viberg and A. Jaxtheimer were appointed a committee to make arrangements. Chairman Hellbroner has already arranged for Haskill & Day's burlesque circus. The Elks lodge will furnish the show people and Haskell & Day will furnish the costumes and the scenery. The entertainment will be given on two successive nights, the dates not having been definitely determined, although it is believed that December 11 and 12 will be selected. The show will be given in the Masonic Temple.

The entire profits of the entertainment are to be devoted to charity. Each winter the Elks give these charity entertainments and scores of families have been made happy every Christmas by their donations.

A committee was also appointed to prepare a program for the Elks memorial services to be held in the Masonic Temple on Sunday evening, December 3.

LUTHER'S BIRTHDAY.

The 416th anniversary of Luther's birth will be celebrated at Christ's Lutheran church, corner of Webster and Jefferson streets, Sunday evening, at 7:30 o'clock. The Sunday school will render the following program:

Organ Prelude.
Anthem .... By Choir
Song—"Marching On" .... School
Scripture Lesson.
Gloria Patri.
Invocation .... By Pastor
Welcome Address .... Grace Thain
Trio—"On to the Conflict" ....
Georgia Ruhl, Clair Keys, Bessie Stout.
Song—"A Place in the Ranks for Me" .... School
Selection—"As He Hath Prospered Thee."
Song—"Our Country for the Christ" .... School
Recitation—"Missions" ....
.... Ethel Lechler
Recitation—"Two Spiders" ....
.... Otto Seibert
Acrotics .... Pastor
Song—"Our Home Mission Day" ..
.... School

HONORS FROM THE SOUTH.

Dr. W. H Myers, of this city, has accepted an invitation to present a paper before the Southern Surgical convention from those su- meets in New Orleans early in December. His subject will be "Puerperal Septicaemia." The society is composed of the most eminent surgeons of the south and the invitation carries with it a high honor for Dr. Myers.

BAD RESULT OF CHILD'S PLAY.

Lucinda Bauman, a little girl nine years of age, is now at Hope hospital receiving treatment for a serious nervous condition which resulted from "skipping the rope" excessively. The little one was an inmate of the orphans' home at Berne, and while at play with other children recently attempted to break the record by jumping the rope 1,000 times. The exertion from the protracted effort proved too severe, and after reaching more than 900 in the count the child collapsed. A nervous affection in some manner resembling paralysis involved the entire right side of her body, and she was rendered completely helpless. Treatment at the institution failed to help her and she was brought to the hospital in this city. She now appears to be improving slightly, but it will be several weeks before she recovers.

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Take Laxative Bromo Quinine Tablets. All druggists refund the money if it fails to cure. E. W. Grove's signature is on each box. 25c

Get UNCLE SAM Stamps gifts.

The annual meeting of the stockholders of the Jenney Electric Light and Power company will be held next Tuesday evening in the company's offices, No. 43 East Berry street.

Eat your Sunday Dinner at the Wellington Cafe tomorrow, from 5:30 to 7:30.

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Mr. John O. Atkinson, Independence, Mo., in a recent letter to Dr. Hartman, says: "My wife had been suffering from a complication of diseases for 25 years.

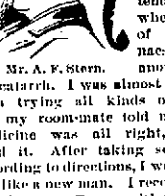
"Her case had baffled the skill of some of the most noted physicians. One of her worst troubles was chronic constipation of several years' standing. She also suffered with general debility and paroxysms—sometimes as often as six or eight times a day. At this time she was passing through that most critical period in the life of woman—change of life.

"In June, 1895, I wrote to you about her case. You advised a course of Pe-ru-na and Man-a-lin, which we at once commenced, and have to say it has completely cured her. She firmly believes that she would have been dead only for these wonderful remedies.

"About the same time I wrote you about my own case of catarrh, which was of 25 years' standing, and at times I was almost past going. I commenced using Pe-ru-na according to your instructions, and continued its use for about a year, and it has completely cured me.

"I have to say that your remedies do all you claim for them, and even more. Catarrh cannot exist where Pe-ru-na is taken according to directions. Man-a-lin is a most wonderful medicine for chronic constipation."

Mr. A. F. Stern, Marine City, Mich., writes: "I was troubled with catarrh for three years, and tried almost every catarrh medicine I heard of. I went down to Delaware, O., to attend college, where I got one of your Almanacs, and saw another remedy for catarrh. I was almost discouraged with trying all kinds of medicine, but my room-mate told me that your medicine was all right, and so I tried it. After taking seven bottles according to directions, I was cured and felt like a new man. I recommend it to all who are suffering with this dreadful disease. It is the best medicine for catarrh. I owe my health to you."



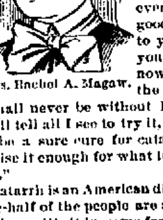
Mr. A. F. Stern.

Mrs. J. A. Bashor, Knoxville, Tenn., writes: "My health was completely broken down and had been for almost a year. I could not rest day or night, but suffered constantly untold misery. Tried remedy after remedy, but found no relief until Pe-ru-na was recommended to me by a friend. I have taken one and a half bottles and am today well and hearty. I shall always praise Pe-ru-na, for I feel it saved my life."

Mr. J. W. Draper, Gainsboro, Tenn., writes: "For many years I had been a continual sufferer from that dreadful disease, chronic catarrh. I gave up hopes of ever being relieved. I tried every remedy my friends recommended, but all in vain. Finally I took my bed. My friends had all given me up to die, believing me to be in the last stages of consumption. Having a bottle of Pe-ru-na in the room, I began to take it, and in a few days felt so well that I got up. I continued it, improving all the time, until I am now almost a sound man. Can do as hard a day's work as almost any man. This happened four years ago."

Mr. J. W. Draper.

Mrs. Rachel A. Magaw, 67 West Jefferson street, Springfield, O., writes: "Your Pe-ru-na is worth its weight in gold. I feel like a new woman. I can't praise it enough. I spent a great deal of money on doctors, but nothing ever did me any good until I sent to you and tried your Pe-ru-na. I now feel well of the catarrh, but I shall never be without Pe-ru-na, and shall tell all I see to try it, for I know it to be a sure cure for catarrh. I can't praise it enough for what it has done for me."



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Catarrh is an American disease. Fully one-half of the people are afflicted more or less with it in some form. Previous to the discovery of Pe-ru-na, catarrh was considered well-nigh incurable. Since the introduction of Pe-ru-na to the medical profession thousands of cases are cured annually.

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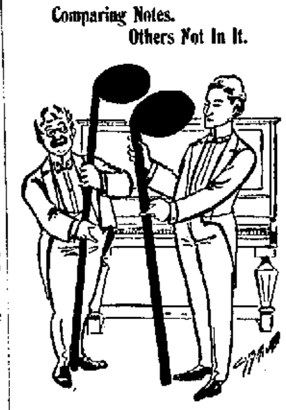

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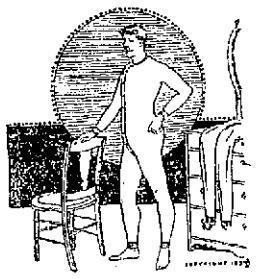

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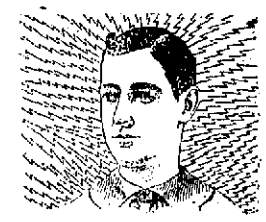

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Seats free. Treatment on the stage free. Positively no boys, girls or children will be admitted unless they are afflicted. The crowds are always so large that seats cannot be given to young people. Ladies are especially invited to be present at these demonstrations, as those of both sexes will be treated on the stage. Each demonstration will be preceded with a short dissertation on

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After which cures will be performed that will astonish the skeptical, set the saying to thinking and convince the doubtful that in Vital Magnetism is a force capable of effecting most marvelous cures. No matter what the disease—how bad, how long standing or hopeless the case may appear—if curable at all, they are amenable to Magnetism and they will

ARISE AND WALK.

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SPECIAL NOTICE.

Private apartments have been secured at the Randall Hotel, where all who desire private magnetic treatment may call at any time during the two weeks commencing Wednesday, November 15th, and receive consultation, examination, a thorough diagnosis and advice by the consulting physician in charge of the Boy Phenomenon, who directs all treatments, after which, if found curable and treatment is desired, a price which is in the reach of all, will be named, and appointments made for treatment.

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LOCAL NEWS.

Miss Mary Foster, of Terre Haute, is the guest of Mrs. S. M. Foster.

Miss Mary Mayhew entertained Friday in honor of Mrs. George Esmond.

Dr. S. E. Mentzer, of Monroeville, transacted business in Fort Wayne Friday.

Mrs. C. Nessel entertained Thursday evening in honor of her birthday anniversary.

Mrs. J. A. Hetrick and Miss Ida Kirkham have returned from a visit in Columbia City.

Mr. and Mrs. Adolph Ober and Miss Bessie Eckert are visiting friends in Lima, Ohio.

Mrs. Frank Donnett, of West Fourth street, fell down stairs and sustained painful injuries.

Miss FloraJones has returned from Columbia City, where she was the guest of Miss Laura Kniseley.

Miss Elsie Field, of this city, has been the guest during the week of the family of Rev. Hollopeter.

Miss Clara Gerardot, who is employed in Fort Wayne, spent the week at her home near Tillmans.

Mrs. L. Miller and daughter are home from a visit with Mr. and Mrs. Will Erdman, of Columbia City.

Frank Hopengardner and George Herbert Bowers, of this city, transacted business in Ossian this week.

The Fort Wayne Lotus Group nonsectarian Sunday school will be held Sunday afternoon in Vordermark's hall.

Mrs. Virginia Allen came to Fort Wayne from Huntington Friday and will visit here. She may return to Jamestown, N. Y.

A number of friends of Miss Bessie Bowman surprised her at her home Thursday evening to remind her of her birthday anniversary. A most pleasant evening was spent.

Columbia City Post: "Sam Kramer was in Fort Wayne this forenoon assisting Undertaker Stewart in exhuming the remains of a sister that has been buried for over thirty years. Stewart made the trip overland and brought the remains to this city, where they were buried in the Jewish cemetery."

At Hicksville, Ohio, last Tuesday, workmen removed from the ground the stub of an old hickory pole which had been erected by the late Hon. A. P. Edgerton during the memorable Lincoln-Douglass campaign. It was recalled that on the day the pole was erected a horse ran away and broke its neck against the pole.

BURIAL AT CHICAGO.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernst Peters and William, Fred, Henry and H. F. Hilgeman are at Chicago attending the funeral of the late Ernst Hilgeman. It has been decided to have the interment at Chicago, instead of bringing the remains to this city as was at first intended.

ARE AT CLEVELAND.

The Fort Wayne Traction company, the new organization owning the street railway, will have its general offices in the Wade building, on Superior street, in Cleveland, though the operating offices will be in Fort Wayne. All the officers of the company and all the directors save one, Hon. J. H. Bass, are Cleveland gentlemen.

THE STARRY SHOWER.

A good deal of interest is manifested in the promised meteoric display which is scheduled to arrive during the coming week, and many Fort Wayne people will anxiously await the inauguration of the sublime celestial phenomenon which has been thirty-three years in reaching us. None of the Leonids are expected before Sunday morning and the display is not likely to be general at the first appearance. The astronomers say that from 2 to 5 o'clock on the morning of November 15 will be the most favorable time for seeing the meteors.

SENATOR ELLISON'S ADDRESS.

"Our Toiling Children" was the subject of an address before the Home Coterie Friday evening by Hon. T. E. Ellison. In his treatment of the subject Mr. Ellison pointed out a number of ways in which he believed those who are interested in the welfare of the young could better existing conditions. He believed the employment of boys by messenger companies, especially at night, was corrupting to the morals. They are compelled to go often to the worst haunts of vice at all hours of the night in the discharge of their duties, and the tendency was and Gynaecological society, which socintions. Some attention was given to the employment of young children in factories, a system which, however, is not so prevalent in Fort Wayne as elsewhere in the state. Senator Ellison is also of the opinion that in the present system of study in the public schools there is danger of positive physical detriment and hindrance to real mental progress. He believes too many branches are taught and the hours of study too long. Senator Ellison's address was well received.

THE BOY PHENOMENON.

To Demonstrate His Power at the Masonic Temple Next Week.

The Boy Phenomenon who is to demonstrate his healing powers at the Masonic Temple next week, is thus spoken of by the Bethlehem Times, in which place he has recently been creating great interest by many wonderful cures of well known citizens.

Another immense audience greeted the "Boy Phenomenon" at the opera house last night. In fact, several hundred people were unable to gain admission. The feats accomplished by the magnetic healer were as wonderfully surprising as those of the previous evening. All kinds of infirmities were represented among the thirteen patients who were publicly treated on the stage last night. In every case the sufferer was benefitted, and the work of the "Phenomenon" greeted with loud applause.

One of the best known of those who asked for treatment last night was Mr. Quinn, a young man who is badly crippled with rheumatism. At times he is scarcely able to walk. This morning he danced jigs on street corners to show that the magnetic treatment was driving the rheumatics far away. Mr. Quinn is loud in his praises of the wonderful doctor and never tires telling how the treatment made him "feel better all over."

OBITUARY.

Miss Bessie Shive died Monday morning at 9:40 o'clock. Death was due to consumption. Bessie had many friends, who were grieved to learn of her death. None knew her but to love her. A short time ago she was baptized and united with the United Brethren church. A few hours before she died she bid her sorrowing relatives and friends goodbye and asked them to meet her in heaven. Her parents and one sister passed to the better world several years ago. Since that time Bessie had made her home with her grandparents. One brother survives her.

Miss Bessie May Shive was born in Allen county, Indiana, on the 15th day of November, 1879, and died on the 6th day of November, 1899, her age being 19 years, 11 months and 21 days. The funeral took place Wednesday morning. The cortege left the residence at 10 10 o'clock and the services were held at the United Brethren church. Rev. D. M. Lutrell conducted the obsequies. The interment was made at Prairie Grove cemetery. The pall bearers were the Misses Ina Dalman, Lida Hoke, Flora Swank, Emma Landstoffer, Cora Prince and Mamie Grider.

The German Emperor Uses *Grape-Nuts*

KAISER WILHELM FURNISHED WITH AMERICAN FOOD.

Upon instructions of a German physician, a case of Grape-Nuts Food was lately sent by express to the German Emperor, Kaiser Wilhelm, at Berlin. This food has come into recognition by physicians as perhaps the most perfect form of nourishment in use.

The field grains, barley and wheat, are blended in proper proportions, ground and passed through some ten or twelve different operations, during which the starch of the grains is turned into grape sugar.

The food is in shape of small granules, perhaps twice the size of a pin head. These are brittle and covered with glystening crystals of grape sugar which has been produced by the processes and form out on the surface of each small granule very much as the sugar settles and crystalizes on the end of a hickory or maple log, under certain conditions.

This product has a delicate sweet taste, not the strong sweet of cane or beet sugar, but the delicate sweet of grape sugar, and it is the most easily digested food known, particularly applicable to digestion in the intestinal tract where so much trouble is nowadays shown from the excessive use of starchy foods.

Most so-called health foods are inclined to be flat and disagreeable to the taste, to be used under a sense of duty. Grape-Nuts, on the contrary, is not only the highest known form of health food, but is palatable and delicious. It is thoroughly cooked before leaving the factory and can be served instanter, either cold with a little rich cream or made into a hot dish by pouring some hot milk or cream over it. Grape-Nuts are also used for dainty deserts, treated with gelatine or fruit juices.

All first class grocers sell Grape-Nuts. Made at Postum Cereal Co.'s factories in Battle Creek, Mich.

Fred Eckart is at home from a business trip to Cincinnati.

Eddie, the five year old son of Mrs. Louis Mandell, of East Washington street, fell from a chair Friday and broke his right wrist.

Quail, Lobsters, Blue Points Oysters, Wienerworst and all sea goods and sea weeds at the Wellington Cafe.

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WANTED—If you want to borrow money, see "ad" on second page, first column. Room 3, Arcade, upstairs. 13-tf

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WANTED—Refined, sympathetic woman, means, educated, alone, will unite fortunes with true, kindly gentleman. Agnes, 3054 Calumet avenue, Chicago, Ill.

WANTED—By manufeturing company, capable man, good appearance, energy and push; good pay. Call for J. W. Risser, Hotel Rich, between 7 and 8 tonight. 10-2t

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BY E. A. K. HACKETT.

SATURDAY, NOV. 11, 1899.

TONIGHT.

Volunteers of America—Religious services in the Ninde block, 50 Harrison street.
Royal League—Special meeting.
Lodges—Mad Anthony Hive No. 27; Rathbone Sisters.
Masonic Temple—"The Telephone Girl."

A literary note of rare timeliness is to be found in a book by Justice Lawrence, of Griqualand, in which he says that while the Dutch farmers read nothing but the Bible, the favorite writers in Cape Colony are Ouida and the author of "Mr. Barnes of New York." In view of recent successes of the Boers on the field of battle, this points clearly to the deduction that it is better to learn the science of military tactics from actual practice than to get it out of books on the subject.

A serious charge was made against baby carriages, at a meeting of the New York city park board, a day or two ago. The question under discussion was the allowing of automobiles in the park, and one horseman said incidentally that the object which frightened his horse the oftenest was a baby carriage. He declared that bby carriages were worse than 500 elephants in their effect upon the nerves of horses. His assertions were not denied, probably, because there were no women at the meeting.

It is no new thing for the newspaper dispatches to anticipate the official reports of army movements, but it is not often that a military "press censor" not merely intercepts a newspaper correspondent's dispatch, but forwards it as official. This is what happened the other day in South Africa, when Sir Redvers Buller forwarded to the war office what he called a "press censor's telegram brought in by a Kaffir runner." Afterwards he learned and cabled to London that "the information contained in my telegram of today was obtained from Ladysmith through the energy of the newspaper correspondent of the Daily Telegraph," to which paper the war office promptly communicated this fact with an appropriate acknowledgment. Newspaper service in war times and especially in this African war, is enormously difficult and expensive, and it is rather hard on the Telegraph to have its own dispatches made public property in this way. It got the news, however, along with everybody else and it has not lost the glory of its "beat" after all. On the contrary, the incident has drawn especial attention to the energy of its correspondent and given it a good advertisement. The Kaffir runner was probably to blame for the misdirection of the dispatch. General Buller evidently had no intention of sending news.

A determined effort is to be made to depose Senator Mark Hanna from the chairmanship of the republican national committee before the presidential campaign is under way. The movement has its inception in Washington among republicans who may be called administration men, so far as devotion to President McKinley is concerned, but who are not bound by those ties of appointment to office that make them think that Hanna is a sacred being because he is one of Mr. McKinley's best friends. Now that it has been shown by the state elections that Mr. McKinley has joined that galaxy known in history as "logical candidates," and is almost certain to again be the republican nominee, the politicians who concede this much are turning their attention to matters that in their opinion will have to be attended to to insure his election. And the very first thing, with returns yet to come in from remote counties, attention has turned to Mark Hanna, for whom, as well as the president, vindication and endorsement are sought to be made apparent from Nash's great plurality in Ohio—in some quarters. Those, however, who know the inside and the bottom of the Ohio situation see in the endorsement of Mr. McKinley much to convince them that Hanna is going to be as hard a load to carry in the coming national campaign as might have been the case had McLean been elected.

GIVE PRAISE UNTO THE LORD

WORSHIP GOD IN HIS HOLY TEMPLES.

Sabbath Sermons and Services in Fort Wayne Churches Tomorrow—Announcements.

First Church of Christ, Scientist—Services, 10:30 a. m., Sunday, subject, "Soul and Body."

Baptist Tabernacle Pastor Henson will preach at 10:45 and Adjutant Shipway at night.

Salem Reformed—Sunday school at 9:30; morning service at 10:30; evening service at 7:30. The evening service will be in English. P. Ruhl, pastor.

The services at Trinity Episcopal church tomorrow will be: Holy communion, 8 a. m.; morning prayer and sermon, 10:45; evening prayer and sermon, 7:30.

Railroad Young Men's Christian association—Day of prayer will be observed by holding service at 3 p. m. Preaching by Rev. L. L. Henson. Bible study class at 4 p. m.

Immanuel Baptist church, corner Clinton and Holman streets, Rev. S. H. Cain, pastor—All services as usual. Morning subject, "Anointing the Saviour;" evening, "Christlike Ministrations."

Rev. J. E. Ramseyer, of Bluffton, Ohio, assisted by D. W. Kerr and wife, of Fort Wayne, will hold a gospel meeting at the Gospel Tabernacle, corner Clinton and Holman streets, Sabbath at 2:30 p. m.

Bethany Presbyterian church—Mr. E. A. K. Hackett will conduct morning service at 10:45. Messrs. Hackett and Yarnelle will conduct evening service at 7:30. Sunday school at 9:30 a. m.; Y. P. S. C. E. at 6:45 p. m.

Free Methodist church, East Creighton avenue—Services for the Sabbath as follows: Preaching at 10:30 and 7:30 by the pastor, Rev. P. W. Botts; class meeting at 9:30; Sabbath school at 3; Bible class taught by the pastor.

The pulpit of the South Congregational church will have for its themes, "Form versus Power" and "The Ideal Youthhood." Preaching at 10:15 a. m. and 7:30 p. m.; Bible school, 9:30; junior C. E., 3 p. m., and senior, 6:30. D. T. Williams, pastor.

At the West Jefferson street Church of Christ services will be held as usual at 10:45 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. "A Stumbling Block of God's Own Appointment" will be the subject of the evening discourse. Special music at both services. P. J. Rice, minister.

All the services at Simpson M. E. church tomorrow as usual. The morning sermon will be on the Y. M. C. A. work. Subject: "Educating the Whole Man." The evening sermon will be another in the series, "Do Christians Believe in the Scriptures?"

Bethel Evangelical church, corner DeWald and Clinton streets—Sunday school at 9:30 a. m.; German preaching at 10:30, subject, "The Christian's Hope;" Y. P. A. at 6:30 p. m.; English preaching at 7:30 p. m., subject, "Our Service." J. H. Evans, pastor.

Calvary U. B. church, corner East Lewis and Harmer streets. J. W. Lake, pastor. Sunday services: Sunday school, 9:30 a. m.; Y. P. C. U., 6:30 p. m.; preaching services, 10:30 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. Free seats, good singing and a hearty welcome to all.

Christ's Evan. (Gen. Syn. Eng.) Lutheran church, Webster and Jefferson streets, L. J. Motschman, pastor—Sunday school at 9:30 a. m.; C. E. at 6:30 p. m.; preaching at 10:45 a. m., subject, "Life in the Blood." At 7:30 the Sunday school will render a "Luther Day Home Mission" service.

First Presbyterian church. Rev. D. W. Moffat, D. D., pastor. Sermon for young men at 10:45 a. m., theme, "The Virtuous Life." The sacred cantata, "The Holy City," will be rendered by the choir, assisted by other singers at 3:30 p. m. Y. P. S. C. E. at 6:30 p. m. No other evening service.

At Westminster church, at 7:30 p. m., Rev. J. L. Leeper will take his hearers to the ruins of Herodium, the ruins of a city built by and named after Herod, the Great. From the top of this highest mountain in Palestine, on which it was built, a survey of the Holy Land will be taken. The view includes fully one-third or one-half of all Palestine or more than Moses saw from Mount Nebo. The pictures shown by the new electric light stereopticon are from photographs taken upon the spot. Sermon at 10:30 a. m., "The Goodliest Pearl." Sunday school, 12 m.; Jr. C. E., 3 p. m.; Sr. C. E., 6:30 p. m.

St. Paul M. E. church, Rev. M. O. Cooper, pastor—Tomorrow will be missionary day at the St. Paul church. Class meeting at 9:30. At 10:30 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. the pastor will be assisted in the services by Rev. Joseph Ramseyer and Rev. and Mrs. Kerr; junior Epworth league meeting at 2:15; Sunday school at 3 o'clock, and Epworth league devotional meeting at 7 o'clock. Let there be a great rally in the interests of the benevolences of the church.

Services in Plymouth Congregational church at 10:45 a. m. and 7:30 p. m.; morning sermon, "Amos, the Prophet of Righteousness;" evening sermon, "Christianity and Young Men;" music, Miss Gibson; Sunday school at 9:30 a. m., and Christian Endeavor at 6:30 p. m. Rev. J. Stuart Ainslie, minister.

Grace Reformed church, Rev. A. K. Zartman, D. D., pastor—Services at 10:30 a. m. tomorrow, subject, "Our Needs and Their Supply;" evening service, 7:30, topic, "The Young Man's Safeguard." The chorus class of young people will sing at the evening service. Sabbath school, 9:30 a. m.; young people's meeting, 6:45 p. m.

Trinity M. E. church, corner Fourth and Cass streets—Public worship, with sermon by the pastor, Sherman Powell, at 10:30 and 7:30; morning, "The Spirit and Aim of a Christian;" evening, "Real Consecration." The choir will render new special music at both services. Sunday school at 9:30; classes at 11:45; Epworth league at 6:30.

Matthias Worton, the Lake Shore section foreman who has charge of the division just north of the city, brought in some strawberry plants, gathered along the track, with buds, green and ripe fruit on them. This is probably the second crop produced by those vines and it is the first time on record when ripe wild strawberries were gathered herabouts.

Third Presbyterian church, corner of Calhoun and Holman streets, Rev. J. A. P. McGaw, pastor. Subject of morning sermon: "The Mount of Prayer," third of a series on "Mountain Scenes in the Life of Our Lord." Evening, sermon to young men on "A Successful Young Man of the Olden Time." Home Sunday school at 9:30 a. m.; Covenant Bible school at 2:45 p. m.

The services at the Berry street M. E. church tomorrow will be as follows: Sunday school, 9:30 a. m.; preaching, 10:30, by Adjutant Shipway, of the Volunteers of America. There will be the reception of members at the morning service class, 11:45; junior league, 2:45; Epworth league devotional, 6:30 p. m.; sermon by the pastor, 7:30, subject, "The Frailty and Sinfulness of Man." Special music at each service. C. C. Cissell, pastor.

GERMAN LUTHERAN.

Emanuel Lutheran, West Jefferson street—Rev. C. Gross and Rev. Philip Wambsganss, jr., pastors. Sunday services, 10 a. m. and 7:30 p. m.; Sunday school, 2:30 p. m.

St. Paul's, on Barr street—Rev. Jacob Miller, pastor. Sunday services, 10 a. m. and 7:30 p. m.; Sunday school, 2:30 p. m.

Trinity, corner of Huffman and Oakland—Rev. J. A. Bohn, pastor. Sunday services, 10 a. m.; Sunday school, 2:30 p. m.

St. John's Evangelical Lutheran, corner West Washington and Van Buren—Rev. Henry P. Dannecker, pastor. Sunday services, 10 a. m.; 2 p. m. (in German); 7:30 p. m. (in English).

German Lutheran Zion's Congregational church, Creighton avenue and Hanna street—Rev. Henry Juengel, pastor. Services, 10 a. m. and 2 p. m. Sundays.

Grace church (German Evangelical), Gay and Pontiac streets—Rev. Miller, pastor. Sunday services, 10 a. m. and 2 p. m.; Sunday school, 2 p. m.

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St. Patrick's, corner DeWald and Harrison—Rev. Joseph F. Delaney, pastor; Rev. Thomas Mungovan, assistant. Sunday services: Mass at 7:45 and 10:30 a. m.; children's mass at 9 a. m.; vespers, 3 p. m.; Sunday school, 2 p. m.

St. Mary's (German), corner of Lafayette and Jefferson streets—Rev. John H. Oechtering, pastor; assistant, Rev. Gustave Hottenroth. Sunday services, 8 and 10 a. m. and 2:30 p. m.; Sunday school, 2 p. m.

St. Paul's (German), corner West Washington and Griffith—Rev. F. J. H. Kroll, pastor. Services, 10 a. m. and 2 p. m.

St. Joseph's chapel (in connection with St. Joseph's hospital)—Rev. Thomas Eisenring, C. S. S., chaplain. Sunday services, 10 a. m. and 4 p. m.; weekly services, 8 a. m.

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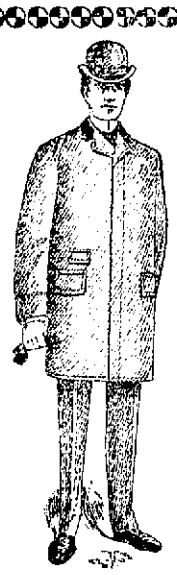

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THE DISCOVERY OF THE BACILLUS OF TYPHOID FEVER,

however, was one of the greatest importance, for it proved conclusively that this was a germ disease and enabled the physicians to treat it as such. As a result of such treatment the death rate from typhoid fever has been reduced from 40 to 4½% during the past twenty years.

THE DISCOVERY OF THE BACILLUS OF DIPHTHERIA

was another valuable one, but as this bacillus could only be reached through the blood, none of the germicides known could be used with effect. It was not until 1892 when Behring discovered the antitoxine of diphtheria that any progress whatever was made in successfully treating this dread disease, since that time the injection of antitoxine directly into the blood has had a marked effect upon the death rate from diphtheria, and its universal use will undoubtedly in time stamp out this disease.

THE DISCOVERY OF THE BACILLUS OF CONSUMPTION

was the most important of all, for it completely changed the whole ideas of the medical profession regarding this disease. Heretofore consumption had always been considered hereditary; now, it is known to be infectious. The proof that consumption was a germ disease necessitated an entire change in the method of treatment. It was found that these germs lodged in the air passages and could only be reached through the air we breathe. As soon as this became known, efforts were made to force some of the liquid germicides into these air passages; but Nature had erected at the entrance of the bronchial tubes an impassable barrier to moisture of any kind. Sprays and vapors in every form were tried; but as in diphtheria, there was only one way of reaching the disease germs, through the air we breathe, and no dry air germicide was to be found. This state of affairs existed for twelve long years, the death rate increasing from 88,000 to 200,000 yearly. In 1895 Booth discovered "Hyomei," the first and only dry air germicide ever found. Later in the year he introduced it to the profession, and in 1896 the first case of

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NUMBER OF CONSUMPTIVES CURED

which shows the great value of the new discovery, but rather in its prevention of the disease. Eight out of every ten cases of consumption are found to originate from catarrh, bronchitis and pneumonia, the air passages become inflamed and the bacillus of consumption inhaled in the air we breathe finds lodging there; they increase by the thousands and soon invade the lungs where it has always been found impossible to reach them until Hyomei was discovered. Catarrh, Bronchitis, Pneumonia and Coughs cannot exist where Hyomei is used; thus it is within the power of anyone to prevent consumption. Of course there have been hundreds of imitations of Hyomei; but their life was short. To prevent further mistakes it is only

NECESSARY TO REMEMBER

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Hyomei is sold by all druggists or sent by mail.

Complete Outfits, $1.00; Trial Outfit, 25c; Extra Bottles, 50c; Hyomei Balm, 25c; Hyomei Soap, 25c; Hyomei Dyspepsia Cure, 50c.

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The Hot Blast Air-tight Florence

For Soft Coal, Slack, Lignite, Coke, Hard Coal, Wood and Gas.

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It will produce perfect combustion.
It burns the smoke and gases.
It saves fuel, reducing your expenses.
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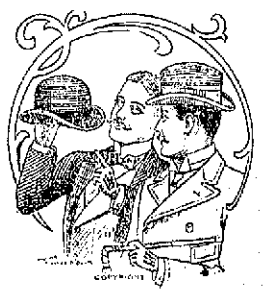
The extra large ash-pan and method of removing ashes insures absolute cleanliness.
It makes home pleasant and comfortable.
We have it in 3 sizes, with 16, 18 or 21-inch Fire Pot.
Special Sale—Friday, Nov. 10th, 1899: Large Wire Steak Broilers, two sizes, 5 and 10c each; regular price, 9c and 18c.

Seavey's, Sole Agents Stewart & Born Steel Ranges.

19 and 21 West Main street.
Home and Bell 'phones 149.



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is a swell style Derby or Fedora from our superb stock. They are of rich fur felt in handsome colors and becoming shapes, that give an air of elegance and that nameless something called "style" to the wearer. Why pay for a common looking hat when we will sell you a stylish Derby or Fedora for $2.00, $2.50 or $3.00?

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LARGE PAY ROLL.

THE ELECTRIC WORKS BEATS PREVIOUS RECORDS.

EMPLOYES NUMBER OVER 400

AND WORKING FORCE STILL INADEQUATE.

THEY MAY BUILD AN ADDITION

COMPANY NOW LOOKING INTO THE PROPOSITION.

Mr. Emmons, general factory manager at Sshenectady for the General Electric company, arrived in the city this morning and will spend several days here in consultation with Mr. Woods, manager of the local works. In addition to the usual line of work, Mr. Woods has been offered over $1,000,000 worth of work annually in the line of street car motors, but he cannot undertake to do it unless his factory facilities are increased. Mr. Emmons' visit is for the purpose of looking over the field and determining what is needed in the way of additions to enable the Fort Wayne works to engage in the manufacture of car motors. It is quite likely that he will consider the completion of the extensive addition commenced two or three years ago a necessity, and if he so recommends, it will be built at once.

The Fort Wayne Electric works are doing a much larger business than Mr. Woods or any of the other interested parties expected, and none are more surprised than the General Electric company, who own them. The last pay roll was the largest in the history of the works. The number of employes has passed the 400 mark and will soon be crowding the 500 mark, yet there are orders enough on the books to keep every man employed two months, even if no more were taken. And we are informed that the business is conducted upon a paying basis, which is a very important matter, inasmuch as the maintenance of the shops in this city depend entirely upon their profit-yielding qualities. That they are to be perpetuated is proven by the General Electric company's quick response to all requests for financial aid in carrying out any plans for improvement suggested by Mr. Wood.

PUTTING IN POWER STATION.

The Grand Rapids and Indiana company is putting in its own electric light plant at Grand Rapids and a power station built upon the plan of the one now being installed in this city by the Pennsylvania company will be built. The work will be done under the supervision of A. C. Davis, of this city, who assisted in building this plant.

MR. BARNES HERE.

J. B. Barnes superintendent of motive power of the Wabash, is in the city on business connected with the proposed shop addition. Mr. Barnes feels rather jubilant over the fact that the addition is to be constructed upon an extensive scale, thereby greatly increasing the shop facilities. The work will be pushed forward as rapidly as possible.

ACCIDENTS AT SHOP.

John Grider, an employe of the Wabash shops, had his left collar bone fractured and the flesh of his breast painfully bruised yesterday afternoon by being struck by a flue plug. He was attended by Dr. Sweringen, who says the injury will lay the man up for a few weeks.

William Horstmeyer, a carpenter, employed at the same shop, was struck by a small iron, which dropped from an elevation. A painful gash was cut above the right eye. Dr. M. F. Porter sewed up the wound.

WRECKED CARS LOOTED.

Hale Ellis, a detective of the Wabash railroad, has been spending a week at Wabash trying to run down the thieves who looted the wrecked cars, burst open in the terrific collision, three miles east of Wabash, two weeks ago. It is said that hundreds of dollars' worth of groceries were hauled away during the night, and several wagon-loads of valuable stuff have been located at Lagro. Much of the property may be recovered, and Ellis says there may be some sensational arrests before he gets through.

YARDS NEARING COMPLETION.

The new yards of the Wabash at Peru are rapidly nearing completion and will be ready for business in a short time. The Peru Journal says these yards will be the largest and best arranged of any owned by the company. There will be ten tracks and five of them are already finished. In the construction of the yards the company is using the old rails that were taken up when new rails were laid on the main line last summer. The section men employed on the road between Peru and Fort Wayne and Peru and Columbia City are doing the work. They are taken to Peru on a train in the morning and conveyed home in the same manner in the evening.

INSPECTION TOUR.

General Roadmaster Hoyt is making a tour over the Nickel Plate, inspecting the depots, water tanks and other property that comes within his province. He arrived in this city at 3 o'clock yesterday, having spent the greater portion of the day in inspecting the property between this city and Bellevue. He travels by special train.

THE COAL FAMINE.

There has been a slight improvement in the fuel situation on the roads in this part of the country, but news from some other cities indicates a serious state of affairs at some places. A Bloomington, Ill., dispatch reads as follows: "The scarcity of coal is causing serious embarrassment to the railroads centering at Bloomington. The Lake Erie and Western is taking every pound of coal that can be spared by the Bloomington mine after supplying their local orders. The Erie people are clamorous for more and the Bloomington operators are running at fullest capacity in the endeavor to meet the demands. But one car load of coal of local origin was shipped from Bloomington in October. For some time the Chicago and Alton have been obliged to confiscate coal in transit on their lines."

INDUSTRIAL NOTES.

A. R. Tegtmeyer and J. Kaiser, of the Pittsburg shops, are sick and off duty.

The electric works sent a big arc dynamo to Muskeegan, Mich., this morning.

Nickel Plate Engineer Robert John is sick and unable to take his place at the throttle.

Nickel Plate Engineer Daniel McFee has taken a few days' lay-off to visit friends in Ohio.

Wabash switch engine 22 is in the shops in this city, undergoing general repairs. She belongs to Peru.

D. Scheiman, of the Pittsburg pattern shop, is taking a few days' lay off to attend to some private business.

Mr. and Mrs. Bromelmeier moved into a pleasant house on Fry street yesterday. He is a Nickel Plate engineer.

C. F. Rodenbeck and G. W. Heine have returned from Peru, where they spent ten days in repairing Wabash engines.

There were turned out of the Pittsburg back shop during the week ending today engines 303, 44, 421, 246 and 157.

Charles Zuhrmullen has gone to Wabash to spend a few days with friends. He is employed in the Wabash shops.

Brakeman German, a new man on the Nickel Plate, has been temporarily assigned to a local freight run out of Bellevue.

Chief dispatcher of the Wabash, J. C. Sullivan, has returned to his duties at Peru, after a six weeks' rest on account of illness.

Nickel Plate Conductor George McCormick, who has been laying off to entertain his father, resumed his train duties yesterday.

Engineer Michael McCarthy, of the Nickel Plate, has returned from Pennsylvania, where he spent two weeks with old friends.

Passenger engine 175 went to the Stony Island shops yesterday for general repairs and her place in the service has been taken by engine 92.

Division Freight Agent W. A. Sprott and General Car Foreman Frank Howard, of the Wabash, were in the city today. They reside in Toledo.

S. W. Richards and Rev. John Green, night watchman and janitor respectively of the electric works, are hunting in the vicinity of Peabody today.

Fireman F. Roembke, of the Nickel Plate, resumed work yesterday. He had been off duty on account of the illness of his father, whose condition is improving.

C. W. Marshall, who had been helping out in the yards for a week or two, yesterday resumed his old place on the Nickel Plate—that of through freight brakeman.

It is stated that the earnings of the Ohio Connecting railroad per mile this year are the largest of any road in the world. Although a short line, the traffic over it daily is immense.

Blacksmith Charles Barnes, of the Pittsburg shops, went to Garrett, Ind., last night in response to a telegram informing him of the serious illness of his father, who is quite old.

Charles Clark, an apprentice at the Wabash machine shop, has resumed work after an absence of three months in Colorado. He went there in search of health and the trip was not a disappointment. He is now in good health.

Rudy Claymiller, an employe in the lamp department of the electric works, got his left hand in a punch machine last evening and the tip of the thumb was cut off.

Machinist George Jacoby resigned his place at the Bass works last night and will return to Milwaukee, Wis., his old home. He had been here only about three weeks.

G. W. Frye, of Upton, Pa., and J. D. Frye of Chambersburg, Pa., who had been visiting their brother, Conductor J. B. Frye, of this city, for a few days, have returned to their homes.

Machinist C. T. Shoup has accepted a permanent position in the Wabash round house at Peru and went to that city this morning to report for duty. He was employed in the shops in this city for several years.

William Poyser, a pattern maker at the Wabash shops, will join his wife and son at Toledo tonight and remain there a few days visiting relatives. Mrs. Poyser and the boy have been in that city for several days.

Frank Rehan, of Toledo, arrived in the city last night and this morning took the position in the Wabash blacksmith shop that was vacated a few days ago by John Baillie, when that gentleman took a position in the Pittsburg shops.

Guy Hughes will return to his old home, Montgomery, Mo., tonight. He came here a few months ago to work in the Wabash shops, but upon the receipt of a letter offering him his old position at Montgomery, he yesterday resigned and stated that he would return there.

DEAFNESS CANNOT BE CURED

by local applications, as they cannot reach the diseased portion of the ear. There is only one way to cure deafness, and that is by constitutional remedies. Deafness is caused by an inflamed condition of the mucous lining of the Eustachian Tube. When this tube gets inflamed you have a rumbling sound or imperfect hearing, and when it is entirely closed deafness is the result, and unless the inflammation can be taken out and this tube restored to its normal condition, hearing will be destroyed forever; nine cases out of ten are caused by catarrh, which is nothing but an inflamed condition of the mucous surfaces.

We will give One Hundred Dollars for any case of Deafness (caused by catarrh) that can not be cured by Hall's Catarrh Cure. Send for circulars free.

F. J. CHENEY & CO., Toledo, O.
Sold by Druggists, 75c.
Hall's Family Pills are the best.

Money to loan at 5 per cent. Inquire, Vesey & Heaton, law office. 30tf

FIRST SPIRITUALIST SOCIETY.

Regular services each Sunday at 10:30 a. m. and 7:45 p. m. in the hall in the Elektron building, East Berry street. Mrs. Blake, test medium, now serving the society. Take the elevator.

Beginners' class will be formed at Hanker Dancing Academy Wednesday evening. 10-11-14

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When you shave at the Wayne. All tools thoroughly sterilized.

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Sole agents for the celebrated Columbus Buggy Co.
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Coughs, Colds, Grippe,
WHOOPING COUGH, ASTHMA, BRONCHITIS AND INCIPIENT CONSUMPTION IS
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Sold by all druggists 25&50cts

COME IN AND HEAR
The Edison Phonograph.
All the Latest Records. Vocal and Instrumental.
THE PACKARD MUSIC HOUSE,
120 Calhoun Street.

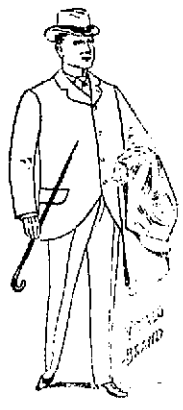
Stoves and Ranges
Will be much higher. Pig iron has advanced more than double, and steel, 75 per cent. H. J. Ash is having a fine trade on all kinds of stoves, wholesale and retail He carries an immense stock to select from. If you are wanting any kind of a Stove or warm air Furnace, you must not fail to look through the largest stock in the City.
H. J. ASH,
16 East Columbia Street.

Globe Going Out Of Business.

Will Quit the Retail Clothing Business Positively just as soon as stock can be disposed of.

ONLY A FEW WEEKS MORE

That you can buy new Up-to-date
Clothing, Hats and Furnishings
Out of one of the
Largest and Best Stocks
In Fort Wayne for nearly
ONE-HALF THEIR VALUE



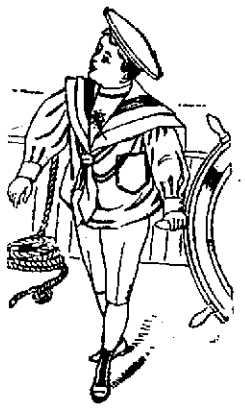
WHY PAY OTHER FIRMS $20.00 for Suits and

OVERCOATS WHEN YOU CAN GET THE SAME NEW UP-TO-DATE STYLES AT OUR SELLING-OUT SALE FOR $13.65?

$18.00 FOR OVERCOATS AND SUITS WE SELL AT $11.75
$15.00 FOR OVERCOATS AND SUITS WE SELL AT 9.75
$12.00 FOR OVERCOATS AND SUITS WE SELL AT 7.85
$10.00 FOR OVERCOATS AND SUITS WE SELL AT 6.08
$ 8.00 FOR OVERCOATS AND SUITS WE SELL AT 4.65
$ 6.50 FOR OVERCOATS AND SUITS WE SELL AT 3.95

MEN'S ODD PANTS AT HALF THEIR VALUE.

We run the only exclusive Boys' and Children's Clothing Parlor in the city, which is full of new Up-to-date novelties that are being sacrificed to sell them out quick



Don't Pay other firms $7.50 for Children's Suits, Overcoats

AND REEFERS, AS YOU CAN BUY BETTER STYLES AT OUR SELLING-OUT SALE FOR $4.75.

$6.00 for Children's Suits, Overcoats and Reefers, as we sell better styles at $3.95.

$5.00 for Children's Suits, Overcoats and Reefers, as we sell better styles at $3.35.

$4.00 GRADES CHILDREN'S SUITS, OVERCOATS AND REEFERS FOR ..... $2.65 and $2.95
$3.50 GRADES CHILDREN'S SUITS, OVERCOATS AND REEFERS FOR $2.35
$3.00 GRADES CHILDREN'S SUITS, OVERCOATS AND REEFERS FOR $1.95
$2.50 GRADES CHILDREN'S SUITS, OVERCOATS AND REEFERS FOR $1.69

CHILDREN'S KNEE PANTS AT NEARLY ONE-HALF THEIR VALUE.

$15.00 YOUTHS' SUITS AND OVERCOATS TO CLOSE AT $9.75
$12.00 YOUTHS' SUITS AND OVERCOATS TO CLOSE AT $7.85
$10.00 YOUTHS' SUITS AND OVERCOATS TO CLOSE AT $6.95
$ 8.00 YOUTHS' SUITS AND OVERCOATS TO CLOSE AT $4.65
$ 6.50 YOUTHS' SUITS AND OVERCOATS TO CLOSE AT ..... $ 3.95

Price List of Furnishing Goods.

MEN'S, BOYS' AND CHILDREN'S NEW FALL STYLE HATS, CAPS, GLOVES AND NECKWEAR AT NEARLY ONE-HALF THEIR VALUE.

Men's 15c Collars, 5c.
Men's 25c and 35c Winter Underwear at 19c; 50c and 75c Underwear at 38c; $1.00 and $1.50 Underwear at 89c; $2.50 Underwear at $1.50.
Men's 25c new Neckwear for 15c; Men's 35c new Neckwear for 21c; Men's 50c, 75c and $1.00 new Neckwear at 42c.
Boys' 25c and 35c Underwear at 15c and 21c.
Boys' 50c and 75c Underwear at 42c.
Boys' $1.00 Underwear at 59c.
Men's and Boys' 50c new fall style Shirts for 39c; Men's $1.00 and $1.50 new fall style Shirts for 89c.
Men's and Boys' 25c and 35c Working Shirts for 19c; Men's and Boys' 50c Working Shirts for 29c.
Men's 18c Wool Hose for 10c; Men's 25c Wool Hose for 15c; Men's 35c Wool Hose for 19c.
Men's 50c Overalls for 39c; 75c and $1.00 Overalls for 50c; Boys' Brownie Overalls at 21c.
10c Handkerchiefs for 4c and 5c; 15c grade, 7c; 25c grade, 15c.
20c Suspenders for 14c; 25c grade, 17c; 35c grade, 21c; 50c grade, 42c.

All other Lines in our store marked to sell them out "quick."

A. K. HURST & CO.

See our Windows for new Up-to-date styles at selling out prices.
Store for Rent and Fixtures for Sale.
All parties indebted to us will please call and settle their accounts.
No more goods charged, sent out on approval, money refunded or exchanged.

An Atiractive Place in the Store, A Labor-Saving One.

FOR MOTHERS

THE INFANT DEPARTMENT.

Where everything can be had for an infant of a day old to those of 6 months; one year up to 4 of age, made up in a manner that cannot be equaled, at home and at a less expense. The increased growth of this department emphasizes its great popularity.

Location—Rear of store, left and center isles where mothers can leisurely and privtely examine its dainty and useful wearables.

Infants' knit wool hands, a decided improvement on the old-fashioned ones.
25c to 55c each.

Infants' knit wool vests, in wrapper shape or held open in front.
Soft cotton, 10c to 25c each.
Cotton and wool, 25c to 50c each.
All wool, 50c to $1.20 each.
Silk and wool, $1.00 to $1.50 each.
All silk, $1.25 to $1.75 each.

Knit Sacques

in all delicate combinations. Sacques that fit. 50c to $1.25 each.

Sacques of flannel and cashmere.
75c to $2.25 each.
Some beauties among these.

Knit Bootes,

All made of fine soft yarns, comfortable to feet and good washers.
20c to 50c each.

Kid Shoes

in white, pink, blue, tan, brown and chocolate colors.
25c to 50c each.

Flannel Wrappers

in pink, blue and white.
50c to $2.50 each.

Afghans.

Knit, Eiderdown and pretty embroidered flannels.
$1.15 to $3.25 each.

Pinning Blankets.

50c to 85c each.

Embroidered flannel skirts, long and short. $1.00 to $2.90.

Embroidered white flannel shawls, $1.00 to $2.00 each.

Infants' shaped silk veils.
From 40c to 60c each.

Arnolds Specialties

FOR BABIES.

These products comprise distinctive features of form, texture and quality. In comfort, healthfulness and durability, in softness and delicacy of contact with the body they are unrivaled.

They can be had in
KNIT DIAPERS, NIGHT GOWNS, UNDERSKIRTS, GERTRUDE SUITS, BATH APRONS, LEGGETS, BIBS, ABDOMINAL BANDS, WASH CLOTHS, SHIRTS.

Flannel Skirts,

Flannel Waists,

DAISY CLOTH WRAPPERS.
Infants' complete outfit.
Knit baby bath blankets.

FOR CHILDREN.

Knit night drawers, knickerbocker drawers and domet flannel night robes.

Infants' long white dresses, made of cambric ad nainsook.
35c, 40c, 50c to $3.25 each.

Infants' lined, silk embroidered bonnets. 25c each to $2.50.

Knit silk hoods, 50c to $3.00.
Angora hoods, $1.00 and $1.25.
Eiderdown hoods, 50c to $1.00.

Reuben's Knit Skirts,

No buttons, extra protection to chest, fine and soft, easily put on and taken off.

AT LOW PRICES.

Infants' long cloaks in Eiderdown, plain, hemstitched and embroidered cashmeres.
From 75c to $10.00 each.

Leave orders for visiting cards and engravings at once to avoid the holiday rush.

Rurode Dry Goods Co.

Our Big Removal Sale Will Last But Two More Weeks

and to reduce our stock still more we have marked our goods at ridiculous-low prices.

50 doz. 50c choice Ties, removal price 39c each.
50 doz. 50c Boys' Winter Caps go at 25c each.
Our $4.00 soft and stiff Hats go at $3.50.
Our $3.50 soft and stiff Hats go at $3.00.
Our $3.00 soft and stiff Hats go at $2.50.
Our $2.50 soft and stiff Hats go at $2.00.
Our $2.00 soft and stiff Hats go at $1.50.
10 doz. $1.50 stiff and soft hats, removal price $1.00 each.
Men's 75c stiff bosom shirts, sale price 50c each.
3 cases of men's fine 75c Underwear we will sell at 50c; all our fine Underwear at 20 to 25 per cent. discount; also all our Trunks at 20 per cent. discount.

We must make room and rather than to move it in our new store prefer to give our customers the benefit.

GOLDEN, THE HATTER,

Opp. Fruit House. 96 Calhoun St.

YOU CAN BUY
House Furnishing Goods, Carpets, Rugs, Draperies, Furniture, etc. on
Weekly or Monthly Payments.
You will save money by calling on us.
J. Y. SHOAFF & CO.,
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MONEY!
Can be saved to no better advantage than by placing it with the
ALLEN COUNTY LOAN AND SAVINGS ASSOCIATION,
32 East Berry Street.
Any number of shares can be taken at any time. Six per cent. interest is paid on all classes of stock. No fees to investors. Money to Loan for any Purpose.

NEW TROUSERINGS.

We have just received a late purchase of worsted trouserings in the newest colorings and of exceptional quality, which we offer at $6.00, $7.00 and $8.50.

STRIPED SUITINGS

Are still very popular and you should make your selection now while the lines are still complete. Step in and let us show you what we have to offer at $25, $30 and $35.

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If we please you tell others.
If we don't, tell us.

The Evening Sentinel.

SATURDAY, NOV. 11, 1899.

OUR TELEPHONES.

Business Office..... 173
Editorial Rooms..... 650

THE WEATHER.

Chicago, Nov. 11.—Forecast for Indiana—Fair Sunday, preceded tonight by showers in extreme south portion; cooler tonight; northerly winds.

LOCAL LINES.

I. C. Brenyan, of Huntington, is a Fort Wayne visitor.

G. S. McKee returned today from a business trip to Buffalo.

Mrs. F. V. Culbertson is at Port Clinton, Ohio, on a visit to her parents.

Mrs. J. W. Rabbitt, of 258 Clinton street, is seriously ill from appendicitis.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Englert are at home from a visit of two weeks at Louisville.

Judge John Williams, of Union City, Ind., is in the city today on a business trip.

The A. O. H. will meet tomorrow afternoon in Library hall to transact current business.

Miss Mollie Forbing, of Decatur, is visiting her aunt, Mrs. Franke, of St. Martins street.

Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Mertens, of Milwaukee, are visiting friends in the city for a few days.

Do not fail to read Dr. Talmage's sermon, "There are many rooms in Heaven." It is full of the inspiration of hope.

Mrs. Henrietta Pierce, who has been quite ill for three months, is able to be up and around, and will soon be in her usual health.

The Ladies' Auxiliary to the B. of R. T. will give a pawn social at the home of Mrs. John Perry, 59 Walnut street, next Thursday from 8 to 9 p. m.

Mr. and Mrs. John G. Baker, son Robert and daughter, Miss Henrietta, of 347 East Wayne street, left today for Paulding, Ohio, to visit friends a few days.

Rev. Miller, pastor of the St. Paul's Lutheran church, will preach in the English Lutheran Church of the Redeemer tomorrow morning in the absence of Rev. C. F. W. Meyer. There will be no evening service.

J. F. Rice, of Ada, Ohio, arrived in the city Friday to take his wife home. Mrs. Rice had been at Hope hospital for some time, where she underwent an operation, from which she has entirely recovered.

Richard Allen, of 62 Allegar street, was taken suddenly ill from vertigo while walking on Barr street Friday afternoon. He was removed in a carriage to Hope hospital, where he is under the care of Dr. G. C. Stemen.

G. Thompson, of the Bass shops, who had the misfortune to severely injure one of the fingers of the left hand last Monday, and who was compelled to take a week's lay off in consequence, will resume his duties Monday.

The "Ministerial Association" will meet in regular session Monday at 10 a. m. at the Berry street M. E. church. Rev. P. J. Rice will give a talk on "The Christian Missionary Convention," recently held in Cincinnati. J. W. Lake, secretary.

The Home Telephone company is doing some cable work in the east end of the city that will cut out those subscribers at the eastern limits a part of the day tomorrow. The work will be rushed as rapidly as possible in order that the service may not be interrupted a moment longer than necessary.

Robert Sherwin, a five year old boy residing at 194 Lafayette street, cut his knee severely Thursday evening. The boy was playing in an alley, when he fell on a broken beer bottle, cutting a gash several inches long in his knee and laying bare the bone. Dr. McCaustland was called and put four stitches in the wound.

Next Friday evening, at 8 o'clock, an entertainment will be given by the scholars of the Wayne township high school near the county asylum. There will be a box social, spelling matches, speeches and other exercises. Everybody is cordially incited to attend, as this is for the benefit of the Wayne Township Library association.

FRESH BALTIMORE OYSTERS.

Received daily via express.
Standards, large stewing, 10c.
Extra Selects, frying, 25c.
Nice Bleached Celery, 22c.
Best Cape Cod Cranberries, 6c qut.
Fresh Malaga Grapes, 20c lb.
Fancy Mexican Oranges, 50c dozen
Best Jamaica Oranges, 30c dozen.
Red Messina Lemons, 20c dozen.
WHITE FRUIT HOUSE.

Quail, Lobsters, Blue Points Oysters, Wienerworst and all sea goods and sea weeds at the Wellington Cafe.

Get UNCLE SAM Stamps.

LOST—Monkey fur collarette Thursday evening. Finder return to 10 West Berry street and receive reward.

John M. Norton, of Indianapolis, is a guest at the Wayne.

Mrs. Charles Wright, of Springfield, who was visiting her father, Rufus Rayhouser, left for her home this morning.

Thomas Snook, the contractor, is preparing to erect a handsome double modern residence at the corner of Jefferson and Griffith streets.

Perry C. Nobles, a dyer at the Wayne Knitting mills, is suffering from a severe injury to his right leg. While climbing over some flat cars to cross the Muncie tracks at Boone street Friday evening, his foot caught and he was thrown to the ground, receiving painful injuries.

Frances Shondel, twelve years old, living on Wayne street, was nearly choked to death while eating hickory nuts Friday evening. She was attending a social at the English Lutheran church and was playing about the yard when the shell lodged in her throat. Dr. G. C. Stemen was called and removed the obstruction.

THE WRONG MEDICINE.

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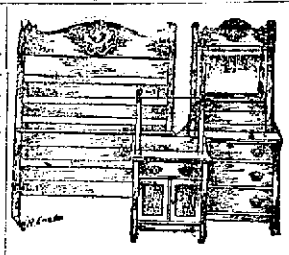

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SIX THOUSAND YEARS B. C.

DISCOVERIES IN EGYPT SHOW PARTIALLY CIVILIZED MAN EXISTED THERE EIGHTY CENTURIES AGO.

How long has man been on earth? The answer to this question is being modified by every turn of the explorer's spade. It was formerly considered certain that the world could not have been a habitable planet for more than 6,000 years. Geology had shown that millions of years must have been consumed in building it up before it became fit for human life. But during the past few years some of the most orthodox believers in this theory have been engaged upon excavations in Assyria and Egypt and what they have actually seen has forced them to set the date of human habitation of the earth back several thousand years. The expedition sent out by the University of Pennsylvania, which has been at work at Nuffer, has, through Prof. Hilprecht, its Assyriologist, set the date of 6000 or 7000 B. C. on some of the monuments discovered.

Now comes M. E. Amelineau to reenforce these dates by similarly startling discoveries in prehistoric Egypt. It should not be forgotten that the evidences from which the early history of Egypt has been deduced are very fragmentary and for long it has been questioned whether Menes, the earliest of the Pharaohs mentioned by Manetho, had ever existed. The discovery of his tomb has set that doubt at rest. But M. Amelineau has added oil to the flame of sensational discoveries by finding what he claims are the tombs of Osiris, Isis and other Egyptian deities. These were supposed to have been mere imaginery personifications of nature. The full report of these discoveries has not yet been published, but this revolutionary investigator has prepared the way to it by issuing the first volume of his account of the excavations at Abydos, the sacred residence of Osiris. Here he has found prehistoric tombs, some 150 in number, the contents of which are more astonishing, when it is considered that they go back at least 8,000 years. Fortunately for us who are animated by an intense curiosity as to the doings of those distant ages and the men who lived then, the Egyptians had the peculiar notion that death was but the bridge from this life to the next, which would resemble this one so closely that the very food and furniture used here would be useful there. On this account, they furnished the tombs more as they would furnish homes than as one would expect resting places for the dead to be furnished. Therefore, in them have been found the very food and the utensils which the men and women of that time used while they were alive. It is to this fortunate accident that is due the exactness with which a nineteenth century excavator can say precisely how those who died 6,000 years B. C. lived, what they ate, how they dressed and what was the range of mind and civilization in that ancient time.

In the jars and vases of these old tombs Amelineau has found various cereals, like wheat and rye, proving the agricultural tastes of these people. Date stones are excellent evidence that the date palm was even then appreciated for its food products. Nor were these prehistoric people vegetarians, for if they were, why should there be the bones of oxen and the horns of the gazelle in their tombs?

Amelineau has actually taken us back to the stone age and the beginning of the use of metals in Egypt, for he has found innumerable arrow heads cunningly chipped out of flint, and knives, scrapers and saws made of the same hard material. The decorative instinct was already alive, or why should these old workmen have spent days on polishing and chipping stone bracelets?

It is almost impossible to trace the development of civilization step by step through these remains, for here are earthen plates so rudely shaped as to prove that the potters' wheel, one of the first inventions of primitive man the world over, was not yet known. Then come other plates and pots and jugs, just as surely turned on that very useful machine, showing the next step upward. The following evolution of inventive genius shows itself in the more elaborate pottery and the use of metals for making rude tools. Hard stone was now cut and shaped, diorite, onyx and rock crystal jars and vases were made with so much art that their highly polished surfaces astonish the modern discoverer. It seems as if the use of the diamond or some other hard substance must have been known by the people who hollowed out some of these vases, on the inside of which are still to be seen the marks of the cutting implements. Remember this was 8,000 years ago, and few would believe that the artistic instincts of man had been so early developed were not the ocular proof forthcoming in the artistic creations of these ancient artisans. It was found that some of the tombs were paved with a kind of rose-colored marble, not native to Egypt, and therfore this must have been imported from some distant country, showing that the men of that time traveled and believed in "imported goods" much as we do.

From stage to stage the perfection of the workmanship and the care displayed in ornamentations increases constantly. The primitive geometrical designs on the earliest pottery give way to drawings from life, and there are representations of ostriches so life-like as to be easily recognized; a carving of a duck's head in hard schist, in which the shading of the plumage is brought out, and a carving of a human hand in the same hard material, where the lines of the finger nails are well defined. As to wood carving, these old artists were experts. They took the ebony, which they had to import, and carved perfect statuettes of lions, or of Nubian women, which can be identified as such by the low forehead, angular face, small eyes, prominent cheek bones, large mouth, thick lips and hair parted into a number of tresses. Here is a frog carved out of diorite, as perfect and unmistakable as if it had been done yesterday by the best modern artist.

The men and women alike were fond of personal adornment, for beads of clay, covered with blue enamel, of cornelian, amethyst, emerald and rock crystal, all pierced for stringing, the strings having long since rotted away, were found in large numbers. Here, too, were ivory and wooden instruments with which the eyelids and brows were colored red or black, to make the eyes appear larger. Vanity is then at least 8,000 years old.

The furniture was only found in bits, for the woodwork had generally rotted away and all that remained was the ivory legs of sofas—the most remarkable finds made. These were so large that it is certain they must have been made of the tusks of the hippopotamus. That this animal was hunted by the early Egyptians is well established by wall paintings, but the proof furnished by the finding of their tusks is far more conclusive, carrying the custom back several centuries. The manner in which these legs are carved to represent the legs of oxen is one of the marvels of all who have had the good fortune to see them.

The work of the jewelers of this early age is by no means primitive, for there are bronze bracelets, cunningly turned into serpents, alloys of silver and gold, copper and brass, and other tools of the earlier stage when pure copper was used. To illustrate how near akin mankind has been through these myriads of years, it is only necessary to mention the discovery in one of the tombs of what must have served as a baby's nursing bottle in the long ago. It was an earthen vase, with a hole in the side into which a bit of cloth might be inserted that the baby might draw his milk from the vase. Is there anything "new under the sun?"

Besides the common pots for kitchen use and the fine vases for the parlor, there were discovered pieces of wood wonderfully inlaid with pieces of colored glass, showing that the secret of manufacturing glass was known even then. This seems to indicate a long period of preparation, or development, for men did not invent glass when they were crude and uncivilized. In fact, the discoveries of Abydos open so wide a vista of possibilities that we are scarcely surprised to hear that the tombs of the gods of Egypt have been actually found. But before this startling discovery was made M. Amelineau stirred up the world's Egyptologists by the announcement that he had found the names of sixteen royal personages hitherto unknown. He knew that they were royal, for their names were written in a peculiar device, technically known as the "house," and it was just as if the sculptor had engraved "King" So-and-so. It is from this "house" design that the word Pharaoh is derived, or, rather, the device signifies Pharaoh, from the Egyptian per-aa, "Great House;" that is, the palace of the court.

When M. Amelineau opened some of these graves he found them to be the tombs of these great unknown kings already acknowledged as "Kings of Upper and Lower Egypt," but not yet known as "Sons of the Sun," the title of later Egyptian monarchs. Among these was one whose name he reads Den, another called Ka, and fourteen besides, some of whose titles could not be read, as they were entirely new. For instance, one was indicated by the sculpture of a serpant, but how this is to be pronounced or what it means no Egyptologist has yet found out. On comparing the names just found with all the long list of Egyptian Pharaohs, not one like any of them could be found, and it was very logically concluded that these antedate Menes, and that only now are we reaching the earliest history of Egypt.

The tombs are primitively constructed, some of the walls being so irregular that it is to be doubted whether the plumbline was then known. But, nevertheless, the interior of the tombs were most interesting. Some of them were so short that it was evident that no human body could have been laid here at full length, and the explanation was forthcoming when at last in a tomb which no vandal Arab had reached, a body was found all curled up and surrounded with earthenware pots containing food, ointments, etc. Of course there was no thought then of embalming, and it was entirely due to the dryness of the soil that the body had been preserved at all. In the tomb of the Pharaoh whose name was indicated by a serpent, it was found that there was a number of adjoining chambers, probably intended for the bodies of his wives or of his prominent court officials. The tomb of one of these, by name Nebnofer, "good master," a royal scribe, was among those found. The floor of this tomb was made of heavy sycamore planks, which may well stand as the oldest planks in the world, being some 8,000 and odd years old, as well as can be estimated. Instead of having been nailed down to crosspieces, they were simply tied together by bands of brass, which was still found in place. The mortar, too, was found to have been mixed with fibers of palm leaves, much as hair is now used to mix with plaster, proving that this secret was known a few years ago.

Prof. Maspero agrees with M. Amelineau that the inscription on the royal steles are very rude and primitive in character, and when such a combination of authority agrees that these men antedate all known history, we can only believe. We can hardly grasp the whole significance of these discoveries, for in altering our ideas of chronology many other ideas must be similarly modified. Our conception of the history of mankind is broadened almost indefinitely and we would not be surprised to hear tomorrow that still later discoveries had established the fact of man's existence in Egypt over 10,000 years ago. No wonder, then, that the Egypt of the earlier dynasties was capable of building such remarkable structures as the pyramids. The developement of science and art which must have preceded the bare conception of such buildings is now made evident, and knowing that in time man may do all things, we need no longer be astonished at our own folly in not being sure that there must be some such explanation of the wisdom of Egypt. All conjecture and guessing ceases now in the face of the tombs and articles discovered in them by M. Amelineau.

CUTTING THE KNOT.

Margaret—"What am I to do when they both say they love me?"

Dolly—Marry the man you feel the least pity for."—Philadelphia North American.

The suggestion made by the Denver Humane society that women give up the use of the side saddle and sit astride when riding horseback is meeting with marked opposition. The most powerful, if not the principal, objection is that no dress which could be devised for the innovation would be as becoming as that now in use.

Men exposed to the rigors of the Alaskan winter never wear mustaches. They wear full beards to protect their throats and faces, but keep their upper lips clean shaven. The moisture from the breath congeals so quickly that a mustache becomes embedded in a solid cake of ice, and the face is frozen in a short time.

A system is to be established in Philadelphia this fall whereby teachers will be given permission to take their classes for one-half day, once or twice a year, to Fairmount park and to the zoological gardens, such visits to be regarded as a part of the regular class duties.

NOTS OF THE DAY

HOW TO SELECT A BRIDE.

Rev. J. L. Scudder Tells How to Make Life One Grand Sweet Dream.

If it is a good thing to get a wife, it is a better thing to get a good wife.

There are all kinds of women in this world, and most of them, by the way, would like to be married.

All they need is sufficient urging by the opposite sex.

Now, as there are a great many women in the land, and some are manifestly superior, it behooves the wise man to make a judicious selection.

All women do not make good wives and it is possible for a man to marry and make the greatest blunder of his life.

Some women can make you supremely happy and others can make you very sad. Be careful, then, as to the kind of woman you ask to share your lot.

In seeking a wife, I claim a man should act in a business-like manner and not be carried away by his emotions.

The step he proposes to take is of paramount importance and will affect his weal or woe more than anything in life.

Marriage ought to be something more than a grab-bag, into which a man thrusts his hand and takes out an unknown quantity.

A sensible wooer is like a good shopper, who goes from store to store and examines the goods on all the counters, inquiring into their quality and price before he makes a purchase.

He selects a wife after duly investigating that portion of the market which is available to a man in his station, and comes to the pleasurable conclusion that he has exactly what he wants.

There is little romance, I admit, about such a prosaic method of choosing a partner, and some may criticize this as a pretty cold-blooded way of making love. But in answer to these criticisms it may be said that this is a workaday world, with very little romance about it, and it is better to begin as we can hold out.

Such things have occurred, and will occur again, but they are the exceptions that prove the rule, that the best love arises between those who are acquainted with one another's antecedents and have similar tastes and sympathies.

To marry well a man must marry a woman who he knows will suit him and such knowledge comes only by careful thought and observation.

There are certain qualifications which every woman should possess who proposes to become a wife and which every lover should demand. These I shall mention, and to them fastidious individuals may add as many more as they please.

I hope they will not require as much, however, as a man I once heard of, who said all he would demand in a wife was "a good temper, health, intelligence, a beautiful face, a comely figure, good family connection, domestic habits, resources of amusement, conversational talent, good spirits, elegant manners and money."

There was nothing narrow about that man.

Fortunately, all men do not have such exalted ideals and are willing to put up with a smaller number of desirable qualities.

The first qualification that I shall mention is that she who is to be a wife must be a woman of character and thus command the respect and admiration of the man who seeks her hand.

A pleasant disposition is an indispensable quality.

It must be remembered that women are born actresses—that they can play their parts most skilfully during their courting days and deceive their lovers as to various weak points in their characters if they are so disposed.

Many a man has been completely fooled by the woman he was courting and lived to regret his lack of insight.

If she was a slattern and too lazy to dress herself neatly, she was shrewd enough never to let her young man find her in an unbecoming costume. She was trimly dressed and her hair was combed when he was around.

While the rest of the family were laughing in their sleeves she made him believe that she was the pink of neatness. He used to congratulate himself upon the queenly appearance she would present in their little home when they were married.

But, Heaven pity the man! how he changed his mind six months after the wedding!

So, I say, study your young woman and know exactly what you are getting.

In addition to ascertaining a woman's character, I advise you to marry a real helpmeet—one who will be of service to you in the struggle of life, and not a drag.

Women, like cloth, should be chosen for qualities that will wear.

One of the first qualifications of a helpmeet is physical health. A woman who has disregarded the laws of physiology during the first fourth of her life makes sad work of it during the remaining three-fourths. Without a sound body, with weaknesses and aches and pains, she is scarcely fit to be a wife and mother.

That man is unwise who makes love to any woman with a poor constitution, for marriage increases the burdens of life and makes severe drafts upon the physical system.

If in his earthly pilgrimage a man wants to carry one of these pale, bloodless creatures upon his back, I have nothing to say. But if he wants a woman by his side to travel over the ups and downs of life, let him choose one who can walk down town without hailing a car at the first corner or climb a couple of stories without sighing for an elevator.

Never mind that doll face, young man. Just find out whether its owner can take a two or three-mile tramp with you without being fatigued or ride a tandem and do her share of the pedalling.

Find out whether the ruddy hue on her cheek is due to rouge or to good, red blood.

Wait till she is out of her teens and a woman grown. Doctors tell us that twenty years of age is soon enough for a woman to marry. Twenty-two or twenty-three is better.

I pity these girlish wives. As a rule they grow haggard and peevish and prematurely old, whereas they ought to have kept their bloom till forty-five or fifty and their good spirits to their journey's end.

Do not marry a woman who carries her head too high and is unwilling to come down and start with you at the bottom of the ladder.

The sin of the age is extravagance—living for show; living beyond one's means.

All women would like to be butterflies, brilliant in costume and flitting about the landscape to the admiration of all beholders.

Get a woman who cares more for your love than for the eyes of the world; who finds more joy in her husband and her home than in society.

Celibacy is unnatural and unsatisfactory. Taken alone, man is an incomplete being. He needs a woman's love to make his life perfect. Adam as a bachelor was not a success. He had no home, even if he was in Eden. It was only when he married Eve that he knew what real living was. Men ought to be taxed for remaining single.

EXTRAVAGANCE OF THE POOR.

[By D. O. Mills.]

The most wasteful and extravagant people in the world today are the poor of our American cities. As a class they have not the slightest idea of the value of saving. Years of study and observation have convinced vinced me of that. Economy is the one great need of the poor in the city of New York today.

It was to teach them the value of economy that I built the Mills hotels—to show them how very little they can live on if they only make the attempt. When the poor learn properly the value of economy, the necessity of charity will to a great extent be done away with. But when I see the extravagance on every side, the false standards of living, the pretention, the shoddy imitation, the perpetual straining after luxuries of all kinds, I grow hopeless of ever having the poor learn the lesson of economy.

Why, in Europe the problem of living is with the poor a science. I say positively that the man in Austria who receives forty cents a day gets more real comfort out of that forty cents than does his fellow-laborer in New York who receives $3 as his daily wage. The American is not content unless he buys whisky and cigars, and, in addition, his false sense of honor tells him he must "treat" his acquaintances if he meets them in a saloon. This "treating" system is one of the curses of the poor.

Then the American feels that he must have meat-if not three times at least once a day. Well, he doesn't need it even once a day.

There seems to be a general impression that I devote much time and money to so-called charitable relief. I don't.

All my efforts are directed to teach the masses, and particularly the poor, the value of saving. Those who learn that lesson won't need charity.

I don't believe in making charity "sweet" for any one—unless, of course, it be some one who through illness or disease is absolutely unable to help himself. I believe in helping those who help themselves. Then the recipient of a favor, however small, maintains his self-respect.

RELICS OF AN OLD DAY.

WOODEN SHOES STILL SOLD IN FORT WAYNE, BUT THE WEARERS OF THEM ARE FEW.

Suspended in front of a grocery on Barr street in a mute appeal to possible customers who seldom come, hang several pairs of wooden shoes. The most romantic imagination would hardly be daring enough to call them attractive, yet Fort Wayne has seen the day when this style of footgear was in high favor among an older class of citizens who clung to them as an heritage brought from homes across the seas.

It is a far cry back to the days when wooden shoes clattered over the sidewalks here or plowed through the mud where there were none, and most of the sturdy German and French settlers who wore them have long since joined the silent majority. It is not intended to convey the impression that these shoes were ever the prevailing style of footgear in Fort Wayne. By no means. Yet among the earlier residents of this section who came from certain foreign countries, they were a recognized necessity in the rougher work of the farm and the shop.

A PASSING CUSTOM.

The wooden shoes gave way to more modern, if not more healthful, styles of footgear, just as other modes of dress have retreated before and been displaced by the newest fancies of fashion. Their cumbrous clatter on Calhoun street today would seem no more strange than would a glimpse of a lady attired in the costume of a belle of the fifties. In fact, it may be doubted if so much attention would be paid to them as to a reincarnation of the fashionably dressed gentleman of ante-bellum days. Yet they have gone as surely. The sons of the original wearers of wooden shoes rebelled against the old-country custom as others grew up around them, and the reign of the wooden shoe weakened with each generation. It is little more than a memory now, but it typifies a staunch, sturdy citizenship transplanted from European soil that builded and thrived in the American surroundings which effaced many of the customs and traditions of its native home.

STILL CLING TO THEM.

Years ago no Fort Wayne grocer's stock was complete without an assortment of these homely wearables. No shoe store is on record as having had them on sale, and there may have been something in the shoe dealer's code of ethics that forbade giving them a place on his shelves. In a pioneer grocery, however, they were as staple as sugar, and a few Fort Wayne dealers, among whose patrons are some of the older German and French people, still handle them. The demand can hardly be said to be heavy, but it is firm. Among the places where the wooden wearables may still be found is the grocery of William Dochrman, on Barr street, and the proprietor tells a reporter for The Sentinel that he still sells perhaps 100 pairs of wooden shoes during the winter season. Doubtless a few other places in the city sell as many more, which shows that while far out-classed by the vica kids and the patent leather pumps of fashiondom, the plain, homely "kicks" of the early foreign fellow-citizen are not entirely out of it.

WARMTH AND SENTIMENT.

"One rarely sees wooden shoes worn now," said Mr. Doehrman, "but the fact that we, as well as a few other dealers, still have calls for them, proves that they are yet in use in occasional instances. You can never persuade an old man who has worn them that any other shoe is half so warm as the wooden shoes of the old days, though it is possible a few cling to them from sentiment. It is claimed they exclude the severest cold more effectually than leather, and the feet simply cannot get damp in them. Perhaps no one wears them continually now, but for the rough work about the farm a good many are yet in use, among the older German farmers. Then the decorative tastes of the ladies create something of a demand for them, and they are deemed a pretty oddity for the home when gilded and decorated in fanciful styles. Many of the ladies will, at a small expense, work a wonderful transformation in the appearance of a very commonplace pair of wooden shoes, and you'll find them in a good many homes."

ARE MADE BY HAND.

No machine work entered into the making of wooden shoes. They were and are solely the product of hand labor, and as the price in olden days was but twenty-five to thirty-five cents a pair, the manufacturer must have gotten rich very deliberately. One pair would last through the winter, and the wood used was usually elm, swamp ash or soft maple. Guess at the weight of the clumsy-looking things and you would probably miss it a mile. A pair weighed by Mr. Doehrman registered but 1¾ pounds. The matter of size was permitted to cut but little figure. The shoemaker simply aimed to get them large enough, and there was no complaint. The art that enabled the wearer to keep them on his feet at all was above objecting to a slight discrepancy in the fit.

The pioneer artisans who made wooden shoes in Fort Wayne and vicinity have disappeared with their patrons. The most of those now sold here are made by an elderly German named Slietman, in Adams county, though some are produced at Bremen, Ohio, where a considerable community of old-country Germans is found. Among the earlier makers here only a few are remembered. "Old Nick," a Frenchman who had a little shop on Barr street, opposite the site of the city hall, did a rushing business in this line thirty-odd years ago. Another Frenchman named Jaion, who lived at Arcola, also made many pairs and peddled them about the city and country. Many others were engaged in the enterprise in early years, but time has effaced them from memory. The old-country custom could not endure against the comforts of later days, and it has gone to a place beside the home spinning and weaving of pioneer days. Many of the children of the present day never saw a wooden shoe. It is now a rarity. Throw around it the shades of a few more years and it will become a curiosity.

THE AGE OF THE EARTH.

Scientists are still disagreeing about the age of the earth. They have been actively discussing the subject for the last thirty years, and yet no general agreement has been arrived at. The school of Hutton and Playfair had come to believe that the whole of eternity was at the disposal of the geologists, when Sir W. Thomson, now Lord Kelvin, astonished the scientific world by declaring that the age of our planet must be more than 20,000,000, but less than 400,000,000 years. This larger estimate has now been restricted by him to not much more than 20,000,000; while Professor Tait grudgingly allows something less than 10,000,000. Sir Archibald Geikie showed that even the phenomena of denudation which had ben adduced in support of the inconceivably vast antiquity of our globe, might be accounted for at the present rate of action within such a period as 100,000,000 years. Sir Archibald, in an address before the British association, now concedes that it is just as well to leave the dispute about the age of the earth to the decision of the future. He still, however, adheres to his belief that 100,000,000 years would suffice for that portion of the history which is registered in the stratified rocks of the crust. At the same time, he concedes that there is no reason on the geological side why scientists should not be at liberty to enlarge it as far as they might find to be needful for the evolution of organized existence on the globe. To the end of following investigations which might be turned to account in the solution of this vast problem, Sir Archibald recommended a study of atmospheric denudations on buildings, and he urged upon town geologists that they might do good service by careful scrutiny of ancient buildings and monuments, so as to obtain definite measures of the rate of their decay.

NO NOVELTY.

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VALLEY OF DIAMONDS.

BASIS FOR SINBAD'S STORY FOUND IN THE LEGENDS OF SOUTH AFRICAN NATIVES.

Has the valley of diamonds of which Sinbad the Sailor tells us in the story of one of his wonderful voyages in the "Arabian Nights" a counterpart in reality in South Africa?

If any credence may be placed in the legends of the various tribes of South African negroes, it has. Perhaps it was the legend of these negroes that was carried north in some mysterious manner, and thus furnished the Arabian story teller with a foundation for his work, or perhaps the Arabian story in some manner reached the negroes and thus became a part of their simple folklore. But speculations in this matter are worth nothing. The legend is the common property of all the tribes in South Africa, and, though it varies somewhat in detail, in the main it is the same story that is told in all the villages.

White men have heard the story from the lips of the negroes, and many have believed it and gone forth to their death in the great Kalahari Desert in search of the valley where diamonds are as thick as pebbles along the course of an Indiana brook.

Ages and ages ago, the Kaffirs say, when they were the sole inhabitants of South Africa, a great tribe from the north came down upon them and drove them from their homes. To the west and to the north they fled, scattering in isolated parties and fleeing into lands they had never before penetrated, to escape the assegais and clubs of the armies before which they were powerless. Those who went to the north were followed by their enemies and driven beyond the Orange river. Here they lived in peace for awhile, but their security was only temporary. The giant blacks came upon them again; and again they were forced to flee, until they found themselves on the border of a great desert. Their numbers had been so decimated by war and privation that but a few score remained of the host that had first fled under the storm of assegais. Here the majority of the tribe resolved to stop, feeling that further retreat was useless, but some did not agree to this and determined to push on into the desert, hoping that they could cross it in safety.

The desert was greater in extent than the Kaffirs had thought and their sufferings were terrible. When they reached the nearest water nearly half of their number had died. But the survivors pushed on until at last the desert was crossed and they stood at the foot of a range of high mountains. Though water was to be found here, the vegetation was scanty, and, for this reason, they determined to push on into the mountains to try and find a spot suitable for a home. At last their sufferings were to be rewarded. They came upon a valley, high up in the mountains, rich in vegetation and bounding in game, and here they determined to stop.

Protected by the desert on the south, and by the steep and almost inaccessible mountains on the north, the wanderers at last felt perfect security from their enemies. The valley furnished them with everything they desired and they were happy.

One day one of the Kaffirs discovered a cleft in the cliffs in the extreme northern end of the valley while in pursuit of game. So far as the Kaffirs had been able to discover up to this time, there was but one entrance to the valley, that by which they had entered, and the hunter determined to explore the cleft to ascertain where it led. From a few yards in width at the entrance the cleft gradually narowed and the rock above came closer and closer together until the hunter at last found himself in a small tunnel too low for him to walk erect and so narrow that there was barely room for his body to pass freely. The hunter's curiosity was thoroughly aroused, however, and he continued his exploration, finally compelled to crawl on all fours by the decreasing height of the tunnel. At last his perseverance was rewarded by a glimmer of light ahead and he was soon creeping out of the darkness of the tunnel into the light of day.

At first the eyes of the Kaffir could distinguish nothing in the glaring sunlight, but as his eyes became more accustomed to the light he found he had penetrated to a small, cup-shaped valley, several acres in extent, and surrounded on all sides by almost perpendicular cliffs several thousand feet in height. There was not a trace of vegetation in the valley, all was cold and repelling, but as the Kaffir gazed about he suddenly gave a cry of delight. The ground on all sides was covered with pretty pebbles, and stooping to examine them he found that most of them were of the peculiar kind (diamonds) used by the witch doctors in their incantations, and which were reputed to have great healing powers. The stones were mostly of large size, and their number were as great as the leaves in a forest. The Kaffir explored the valley, but could find no other entrance than that which had afforded him a means of access; but everywhere were the witch stones, at times he was literally walking over beds of them. The surface was strewn with them.

The day was waning, and, warned by the length of the shadows, the hunter picked up some of the stones and started back through the tunnel. On his way back he crawled into a nest of adders and was so badly bitten that he got back to his people only in time to tell his story before he died. The presence of snakes in the tunnel deterred the others from attempting the trip, and a short time afterward a disease seized the inhabitants of the tiny village, and after its ravages had ceased but two of the natives remained alive. The survivors, two warriors, concluded that the valley was accursed and determined to waste no time in leaving it. Taking the diamonds with them, they started on the long trip to the south, to regain those of their people they had left behind or fall into the hands of their enemies, they cared but little which, so that they escaped from the accursed place where their families had all met death. One of them died in the desert, but the other after terrible sufferings finally reached some of his people, only to die soon after. The stones became the property of the witch doctors and his story one of the legends of his people.

Years afterward the captain of a Portuguese trading vessel heard this legend and incorporated it in a book he wrote about his travels in Africa, giving the alleged location of the valley on a map of South Africa. This tale was looked upon by his countrymen simply as a sailor's yarn and passed without notice. Soon after this, however, another Portuguese sailor named Pedro Rodriguiz heard the legend and, believing that the valley really existed, set out for the interior with a small party from his ship and a number of natives. He was never heard from again.

From that time until the early part of the present century no one, so far as can be learned, thought of placing any credence in the story; at any rate, there is no record of any one attempting to find it again, until 1825, when a Dutchman named Helderstrom concluded that the natives had some basis in fact for their legend, and set out on an exploring expedition from which he never returned. The Dutchmen of the Orange Free State tell of a number of others who have from time to time set out to find this pot of diamonds at the foot of the natives' rainbow, but none of them, with the exception of a Scotchman named McDonald, ever returned from their journey. They either perished miserably at the hands of unfriendly natives or of privation and thirst. McDonald turned back while in the desert, because his water supply was giving out, and he was unable to find certain pools indicated on a map he had.

The natives who knew of these expeditions shake their heads solemnly when their fate is discussed, and assert that no doubt the explorers found the valley, but that a curse hangs over it, and no one can enter it and come back alive.

I have given the Kaffir legend of this valley because this nation goes into more detail in the description of the wanderings of their people and the incidents which led up to and followed the discovery of the fabled mine. Among the other tribes it is nearly the same, differing only in the description of the manner in which it was discovered and making their own people the discoverers. None of the others admit, however, that pressure of their enemies led up to the accidental discovery. They all agree as to its location and entrance, save the Bechuanas, who place it at the top of a steep, almost inaccessible mountain, where a party of their hunters were blown by a terrible wind storm in the desert, in which they had become lost while in the pursuit of game. All the party were killed in attempting the descent save one, who got back to his people with some of the stones, but died soon after. The Kaffirs assert that the largest diamond ever found in South Africa, the Dudley diamond, which was in the possession of a witch doctor, was one of the stones brought from this valley of diamonds.

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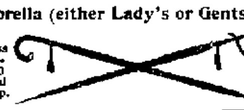

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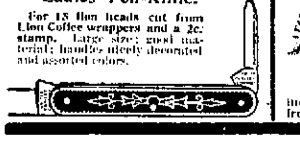

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The topic of this lesson is "The Rebuilding of the Walls of Jerusalem" and requires a study of chapters ii-vi. When the people of God are not an honor to Him, walking worthy of Him, they are a reproach to Him. Nehemiah felt that the condition of things at Jerusalem was a reproach to God (ii, 17; v, 9), and his desire was to take away this reproach.

7, 8. "They were very wroth and conspired to fight against Jerusalem and to hinder it." This was the attitude and conduct of the enemies of God, who were grieved exceedingly that any one should seek the welfare of the children of Israel (chapter ii, 10). The old serpent who sought to mar the work of God in Eden is ever the inveterate enemy of God and men and will exert himself to the utmost when he sees the people of God zealous for the glory of God. In these chapters we see many of his wiles and may learn from Nehemiah, comfort of Jehovah, how to stand against them (Eph. vi, 11).

9. "Nevertheless we made our prayer unto our God and set a watch against them day and night." Nehemiah was a man of God and therefore a man of prayer (chapters i, 4; ii, 4), but, while his strength was in God and his whole reliance upon Him, he failed not to use the means within his reach. Our Lord taught His disciples to watch as well as pray (Mark xiv, 38). In Eph. vi, 11, 13 we are taught that the whole armor of God is necessary, that we may be able to stand against the evil one. As we saw in last lesson, Nehemiah strengthened himself in God by His word. Then he encouraged the people by telling them of the hand of God upon him (ii, 17, 18), and so priests, Levites, rulers, goldsmiths, apothecaries, merchants and also women went to work, each repairing over against their own house, and so half the wall was builded, for the people had a mind to work (chapters iii and iv, 6).

10. "And Judah said, We are not able to build the wall." It is bad enough to have enemies outside to contend with, but when those who are within the fold or the family get discouraged it makes matters more difficult. In chapter iii, 5 we read that the nobles of the Tekoites put not their necks to the work of the Lord, but here is a leading tribe, the one from which our Lord came (Heb. vii, 14), talking of much rubbish and no strength for the work. If Nehemiah had not been staid upon Jehovah (ii, 20), he might have been sorely discouraged.

11, 12. Not only did the adversaries keep threatening that they would cause the work to cease, but the Jews who dwelt by them became filled with fears. Contrast Isa. xli, 6. "They helped every one his neighbor, and every one said to his brother, Be of good courage." In the story of Gideon all the people who were fearful and afraid were sent home (Judges vii, 3). The Lord wants His people to be strong and of good courage (Josh. i, 6, 7, 9; Hag. ii, 4).

13, 14. "Be not ye afraid of them. Remember the Lord." He appointed the people to their places fully armed and encouraged them with such words as these. In Isa. ii, 12, 13 we have the words, "Afraid of a man, and forgettest the Lord, thy Maker." And in Isa. xii, 2, "Behold God is my salvation; I will trust and not be afraid." If we are afraid, we are forgetting God and not trusting in Him. When we rely upon Him, we cannot be afraid. The weapons of our warfare are not carnal, not swords and spears and bows, but might, through God to the pulling down of strongholds (II Cor. x, 4). We have the shield of faith, the helmet of salvation and the sword of the Spirit (Eph. vi, 16, 17).

15. "God brought their counsel to naught. We returned all of us to the wall, every one unto his work." The Lord bringeth the counsel of the heathen to naught. He maketh the devices of the people of none effect. The counsel of the Lord standeth forever, the thoughts of His heart to all generations (Ps. xxxiii, 10, 11). See also Isa. xiv, 24; xlvi, 10.

16. "While some wrought in the work others held the weapons, ready for an emergency. Although not written in Scripture, it is Scripturally true that they also serve who only stand and wait. And it is written that, "As his part is that goeth down to the battle, so shall his part be that tarrieth by the stuff—they shall part alike (I Sam. xxx, 24).

17. "With one of his hands wrought in the work, and with the other hand held a weapon." Thus did the builders and the burden bearers as they wrought in the work and were not terrified by their adversaries (Phil. i, 28). Like David, they prepared with all their might, and set their affection to the work (I Chron. xxix, 2, 3). Like Hezekiah, they did it with all their heart and prospered (I Chron. xxxi, 21). When the enemy sought to entice Nehemiah away, seemingly, for a conference, but really to do him harm, he was led to send them this word, "I am doing a great work, so that I cannot come down." Four times they sent unto him after this sort, but he always answered after the same manner (chapter vi, 3, 4). Read the whole of chapter vi and see in how many ways they sought to ensnare Nehemiah, but see the wisdom of God in him and in all his replies to them. In due time the wall was finished, and the enemies were much cast down in their own eyes, for they perceived that the work was wrought of God. Had the wall been built by skilled masons the credit would have been theirs, but when such unlikely people as apothecaries, goldsmiths, etc., built such a wall they could not but see that God did it. The more disqualified we feel for the work to which God calls us the more glory there will be to God as He accomplishes it though us.

18. "He that sounded the trumpet was by me." And when they heard the sound of the trumpet they were to resort thither (verse 20). Our glorious Captain has all the work under His control. He shall not fail nor be discouraged. He shall see of the travail of His soul and shall be satisfied (Isa. xlii, 4; liii, 11), and when the trumpet sounds how quickly and gladly all His people shall resort to Him (I Thess. iv, 16-18). The work shall be finished notwithstanding all enemies; the church shall be completed, the marriage of the Lamb shall come, the kingdom shall be the Lord's, and the whole earth be filled with His glory (Eph. v, 27; Rev. xix, 7; xi, 15; Hab. ii, 14). Let us not come down from our great work of living to complete His body and bring Him back.

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Some words to cheer the way;
Some balm for pain;
A loving look, a sun-lit smile,
A glance,
From fret, and care, and ill
Deliverance.
We name him blest of God,
Beloved of men,
Who by sweet boons to all
His own bliss doth attain.
—Frederick Cuhn.

Fort Wayne, Ind., Nov. 10, 1899.

LOCAL LINES.

Attorney Link, of Auburn, was in the city Friday.

Hon. Robert Lowry is home from a business trip to Goshen.

Sheriff B. F. Hull, of Columbia City, was in Fort Wayne Friday.

Mrs. A. B. Van Meter and son are at home from a visit at Antwerp, Ohio.

J. Walter May, of Boston, is at the Wayne. He is a guest of W. H. Fleming.

The F. G. M. N. club met Friday evening with Miss Bertha Brandt, 34 McClellan street.

Miss Georgia Breckney, of Columbia City, is in the city to spend Sunday with friends.

Dr. H. L. Porter and family leave Sunday for a week's vacation in the northern part of the state.

Gustave Springer, the little son of Mr. and Mrs. Otto Springer, of Nebraska, is seriously ill with pneumonia.

Mrs. Dr. Sampson and daughter, of Upper Sandusky, Ohio, are in the city to spend Sunday with the family of Dr. C. B. Stemen.

Mr. and Mrs. John Shucy, of Northeast Jefferson, Wells county, have moved to Fort Wayne and will make this city their future home.

Col. C. E. Briant, of Huntington, was in Fort Wayne on business Friday. Mr. Briant had just returned from a meeting of timber dealers held in Detroit.

The First Spiritualists' society has engaged the services of C. M. and Josie K. Folsom, two famous mediums of Springfield, Mo., for the months of December and January.

Street railway employes were paid Friday evening for the last seven days under the old company and up to the time the new Fort Wayne Traction company took charge of the road.

J. F. Rice, marshal of Ada, Ohio, arrived in the city Friday to accompany his wife back home. Mrs. Rice was brought to Fort Wayne some time ago to undergo a surgical operation and is recovering nicely.

Ledignan, a little town in the Cevennes, is so strongly on Dreyfus' side that it has named streets after Alfred Dreyfus and Emile Zola, and a square Place Picquart. A blind alley has been christened "impasse de l'Etat-Major."

Kendallville Sun: "Elliot Mathews sold his maroon colored driving horse to the Fort Wayne fire department today. Hereafter this elegant styled animal will be driven by the chief of the fire department on state occasions at the head of the procession."

Mrs. Annie Wort Thompson was the guest of honor at a luncheon given by Mrs. Elizabeth Hanna Friday. Mrs. Thompson formerly resided in this city and her present home is in Milwaukee. The table was decorated with white chrysanthemums.

Monroeville Breeze: "Deputy Sheriff George Stout was in town Wednesday, serving papers on witnesses and drawn jurymen. A large number of voters in this part of Allen county proclaim that George is to carry the main key to the sheriff's office after the next election."

According to an English clergyman, the East End must surrender the unenviable reputation of being the worst section of London. He says that Southwark is "the festering cancer of London's supreme misery, the Black Hole of the metropolis."

The members of the Schubert quartet, under the leadership of Miss Elizabeth Gibson, gave a recital at the Congregation church Friday evening. They were assisted by Miss Philley, who gave several readings and recitations. Miss Rose Rodebaugh was the accompanist. The church was well filled and the audience showed full appreciation of the excellent program rendered.

Hicksville News: "Some time ago it was known to a few of Harry H. Edgerton's friends that he had made application for the position of deputy United States surveyor for the territory of Alaska. Among those who were asked to recommend him was Postmaster Richards, of this city. The latter is now in receipt of a letter from the head of the land department informing him they are pleased to gratify him and that Mr. Edgerton will be notified to qualify as soon as word of the appointment can reach the far away territory. Harry's many friends here will be greatly pleased with his good luck, whic hthey well know he deserves."

MORNING MUSICAL RECITAL.

A most enjoyable recital was given in the Masonic Temple Friday afternoon by Miss Kirstine Lindemann, soprano; Miss Anna Melboe, accompanist, and Miss Helen Mohr, pianist. Miss Lindemann is from Denmark and has sung in this city but once before. She has a well modulated voice and an excellent delivery. Miss Melboe, accompanist, gave thorough satisfaction and her work added much to the success of the afternoon. Miss Helen Mohr gave several piano solos. This is her first appearance and her manner of rendering several difficult compositions called forth repeated applause from her hearers. The recital was given under the auspices of the Morning Musical society.

GOLD IN THE PHILIPPINES.

Deadwood, S. D., Nov. 11.—J. D. Foster, a member of one of the South Dakota companies, who has remained in the Philippines, writes that he met a native dentist who showed him $14 worth of gold which had been panned from a stream near Manila in a week's time by a native woman with an old earthen vessel. The dentist stated that he knew where there were a good many quartz veins near the city which had been worked more or less for gold. One shaft had been sunk ten feet and the dentist stated that it was abandoned because of the water. The native miners bailed the water out with buckets, one man passing it up to a middle man and he on to the third at the top. The natives have never heard of pumps and are against mining with machinery.

GREATEST DEMAND KNOWN.

New York, Nov. 11. R. G. Dun & Co.'s Weekly Review of Trade today says:

"The most noteworthy feature of the time is the rise in prices. Cotton rose on Wednesday to 7.81 cents, with much excitement, putting the price 3¼ cents higher than it was a year ago, and yet it was still higher in September, 1897. Wool has risen relatively more, about 10 per cent. in two weeks, and the average of 100 quotations by Coates Bros. is higher than it has been at any other time since May, 1893. Pig iron has risen further, $25 being quoted for anthracite No. 1, the highest price since January, 1883. But hides are at the highest point since January, 1873. Prices of produce have not correspondingly advanced. Leather and boots and shoes were higher in November, 1895, then they are now; cotton goods were higher in January, 1896; woolen goods in July, 1894, and even the products of iron, though greatly advanced, are not as high as they were in January, 1890. Such wide discrepancies in advance cause much embarrassment, but are the natural characteristic of a rise which is mainly due not to concerted action in any trade, but to the pressure of a consuming demand, the greatest ever known, which for the time exceeds supplies, though very unequally.

"Failures for the week have been 157 in the United States, against 211 last year, and 23 in Canada, against 26 last year."

A FREAK IN ITS WAY.

Muncie, Ind., Nov. 11.—The Troxell natural gas well, which was struck while drillers were boring for water at a depth of forty-six feet, is completely exhausted now, and a good flow of water has been obtained instead of gas. Since the discovery of that well another in many respects similar has been found on the Arthur farm, a mile and a half west of Portland. A good flow of gas was struck in this instance at a depth of thirty-eight feet.

THE CALLOWAY MURDER TRIAL

Laporte, Ind., Nov. 11.—The state has rested in the Calloway murder trial, and the defense has outlined a theory of self-defense, supporting it with evidence showing that Grady had made threats to kill Calloway, of whom he was jealous. The defense has finished and a session of the court will be held today that the case may reach the jury before the Sabbath.

SEVERED HIS WINDPIPE.

Auburn, Ind., Nov. 11.—John Bishop, who attempted suicide at Hicksville, Ohio, has so far recovered as to be able to be moved to St. Joe, this county, where his wife is at his side. Bishop severed his windpipe. He has recently retired from business at Plainwell, Mich., and now has under construction in that city a new residence. Despondency over poor health prompted the effort.

All the exterior of the great Sacre Coeur church, in Montmartre, has been completed and the scaffolding which has marked the hill for so many years will soon be taken down. So far the church has cost about $6,500,000, and as much more will be needed before the decoration is finished.

NORTHERN INDIANA NOTES.

Rev. and Mrs. Henry Lose, of Elkhart, have celebrated their golden wedding.

Miss Jennie Walters, an expert rifle shot, of Elkhart county, fatally wounded herself while at target practice.

The commissioners of Miami county have made a demand on Sheriff Dunn for $2,000 in fees, alleged to have been illegally retained by that official. The sheriff claims that the money is rightfully his own.

A large number of the Mennonite residents of Elkhart county where a colony of that faith has prospered for years, will settle in Idaho, where another Mennonite colony is being founded. Twenty-three left Wednesday for Nampha to locate, others soon to follow.

Some time ago a man by the name of Norris deserted his wife in Milford, taking their only daughter with him. Last Saturday the unfortunate woman gave birth to twins, but they died. On Tuesday the poor woman followed her infants to the grave. The Mail says the dead mother and her helpless condition would be avenged did her worthless husband ever show up there.

The Indiana Electric Railway company will carry mail between Goshen and South Bend, twenty-six miles, on its trolley cars, beginning about January 1. It is the purpose to serve Elkhart, Mishawaka and intermediate points. A representative of the postoffice department has examined the route and recommended the establishment of a pouch system, and the contract is to be signed up this week.

Excitement has been caused at Laporte by the reported finding of gold-bearing ore at a point near the little Kankakee river, east of that city, where the city is sinking a well for its new system of water works. The metal was found in rocks brought to the surface by the excavators. There is also evidence of silver ore in the rock. Specimens of the ore are on exhibition in Laporte, and a further investigation will be made.

In Belgium organ grinders are compelled by law to play each morning before the police magistrate, who must be satisfied that their instruments are in tune. An organ which is out of tune must be put in order before a license is issued to the player.

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We are in receipt of a letter from a Salvation Army woman which reads as follows:

"I took Vinol after a bad attack of grippe, and so much good did it do me that I persuaded my sister to take it. She was all tired out. Had no appetite and her blood was very poor. It did her as much good as it did me.—BERSY HARRINSHAW, 718 River St., Fall River, Mass.

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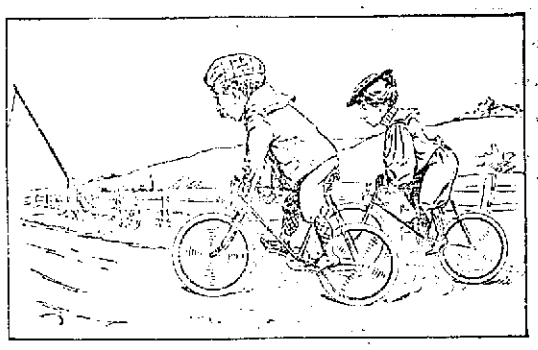
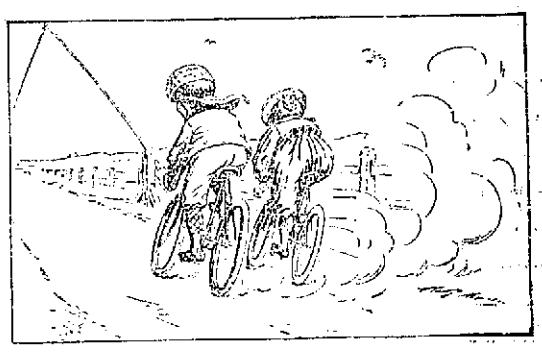
MOTHER'S FRIEND

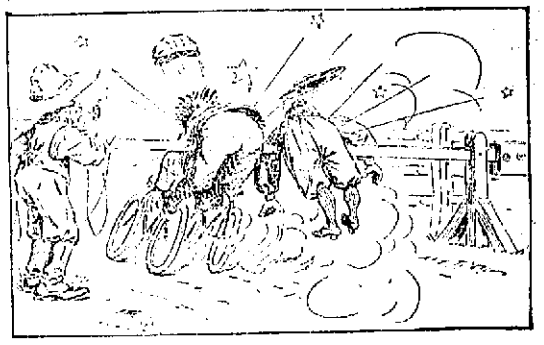
THE FOOLISH SCORCHERS.



1. A scorcher and his bloomered mate,
Each mounted on a "bike,"
Bore down upon an old toll-gate,
That stretched across the pike.



2. As they swept on they gaily laughed,
And thought by sudden spurt,
To clear the toll-gate like a shot,
And do the keeper "dirt."



3. But like a hail-stone from on high,
That seeks the mother earth,
That gate descended from the sky,
And caught them in the girth.

4. And when the gate arose again,
Those scorchers had good luck;
Though it becomes not tongue nor pen
To tell just how they struck.

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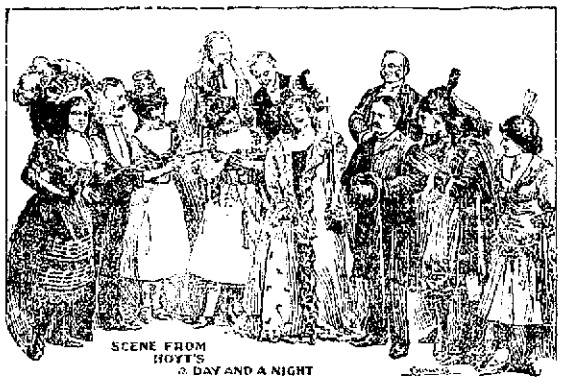
A NIGHT AT THE PLAY.

HOYT'S "A DAY AND A NIGHT."

Theater-goers and lovers of Hoyt's original methods, will hail with pleasure the announcement that his latest and most successful comedy work, "A Day and a Night," will be presented in this city next Monday evening at the Masonic Temple. The new play has no lesson to teach; neither is it hampered with any great plot. It has, however, enough to serve as a thread upon which to string a lot of specialties and furnishes opportunities to introduce spirited and catchy music, topical songs, dainty dances and pretty women. The new piece has been constructed much after "A Stranger In New York," but it is said to be brighter in dialogue, and the situations are even funnier. "A Day and



SCENE FROM HOYT'S "A DAY AND A NIGHT"

a Night" is the most successful of all his farcical skits that have emanated from the fertile brain of this popular author, and he has gathered together a remarkably strong cast, headed by Bert Thayer and Hattie Williams, who is one of the cleverest young women on the stage. These two have been furnished with very strong parts. The cast also comprises Charles Warren, W. H. Currie, W. F. Ryan, M. Regan, Louis Eagan, J. W. Mitchell, Elde Fay, the Clayton Sisters, May Hampton, and the phenomenal soprano, Sara Carr.

"THE CHRISTIAN."

The recital of the success of "The Christian" which will be seen here on Tuesday, November 21, at the

EFFIE ELSLER
As Glory Quayle in "The Christian."

Masonic Temple, is its heart interest, which appeals with equal force to all classes of people from the habitual play-patron to the church-goer who seldom visits a theatre except to witness a production of this character.

In writing "The Christian" Mr. Caine kept in mind the cardinal principal that a play is to amuse, and not a vehicle for the conveyance of a religious precept; at the same time, he teaches a moral lesson in this drama which, but incidental to its action and not forced on the attention of the audience, is none the less strong and effective.

Tunis F. Dean, representing "The Christian," is now in the city perfecting the preliminaries, and will remain to superintend the opening days' sale. The management announces the sale of prices for "The Christian" engagement will range from 25 cents to $1.50. The best seats being placed at $1.00 and $1.50. In New York and Boston during the run of "The Christian" the same seats commanded $1.50 and $2.00 each, and were quickly purchased at that. No seats in any part of the house will be reserved in advance of the opening sale, when a perfectly clean diagram will be shown and the order of first come first served will be observed.

"THE TELEPHONE GIRL."

Positively on Saturday matinee and evening that brilliant musical comedy, "The Telephone Girl," will be seen here, and those who are fond of a jolly evening (and who isn't?) had better be on the qui vive. She comes surrounded with her pretty sisters, clever comedians and all that goes to constitute a first-class production. Nobody should miss "The Telephone Girl." Seat sale Thursday.

"ON THE WABASH."

A play decidedly out of the ordinary run of attractions is "On the Wabash," which is to be presented in this city at the Masonic Temple on Wednesday night, November 15.

"On the Wabash" is from the pen of Joseph Arthur, author of "Blue Jeans," "Still Alarm," "Cherry Pickers" and other plays. It is somewhat on the lines of "Old Homestead" and "Shore Acre." Enough by no means a copy. It is comparable with those plays simply in that it presents homely phases of life seldom encountered on the stage. The scene of the play is laid in Indiana, in the village of Rapture, Posey county, on the Wabash river. The glare of the city life barely reaches the place of the story, the scenes are all rural, as are most of the characters, and the latter present new and unfamiliar individualities, cleverly portrayed by a capable company.

EDITH FASSETT
In "On the Wabash."

Special scenery is carried for the production entire, and the realistic "properties" of farm life lend the required atmosphere of the purely rural district. Refined musical interpolations in keeping with the play are a feature, especially the quartet singing.

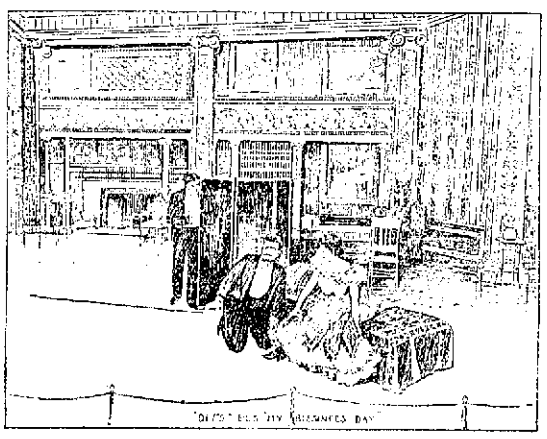
"OVER THE FENCE."

"Over the Fence," that popular bit bevy of farce-comedy girls, is the newest farce-comedy offering for the laughs of the theater-going public.

With a clearly constructed plot, which gives opportunity for the enactment of a series of comical situations, special musical interruptions, many novel electrical features, all new scenic environments and a display of gorgeous costumes, this production bids fair to become one of

THE DICKNELLS,
Whirlwind Dancers in "Over the Fence."

the big successes of the season. It is claimed to be strictly a farce-comedy, constructed for laughter-making purposes and to be so arranged as to give opportunity for the introduction of any amount of individual specialty work, which claim is fully carried out, as Rice and Cohen are seen in their act that has been such a "hit" in vaudeville. Harry LeClair presents his well-known imitations of celebrated stage people. The Olympic quartet do their always pleasing turn and the Dicknells introduce their whirlwind dances. The company is a large one, carrying everything pertaining to the production.



SCENE IN "THE TELEPHONE GIRL."

FORT WAYNE TO GET "ZAZA."

At last New York has let go of David Belasco's great play, "Zaza," and poor mortals who are not within reach of Broadway theaters are to be allowed a peep at this really great play.

On next Saturday evening at the Temple Mr. Charles Frohman will present "Zaza" for the first time in this city. The company has been especially selected and chosen because of their fitness for the parts in the play.

Of the wonderful success of "Zaza" in New York, where it has even eclipsed the successes made by such plays as "The Little Minister," "Cyrano de Bergerac," and "The Christian," everyone knows, and that Mr. Frohman will present it throughout the country in the same excellent manner as to cast and production that gave it fame and fortune on Broadway no one will doubt who is conversant with the methods of America's greatest manager, Mr. Charles Frohman.

SCENE FROM "ZAZA."

NAME CELL OF THE BRAIN.

If the theory of certain doctors in Cleveland, Ohio, is correct they have made a most marvelous discovery in treating a case in which a man received a bullet in the brain. He is now recovering and Dr. George E. Crile, who performed the operation, is of the opinion that he has discovered what might be called the "name cell" of the human brain.

Some years ago physicians and surgeons in Europe devised the theory that each section of the brain had some especial functions to perform. In one spot certain things were remembered and in another other things. One spot understood music and another had a different function, etc. One European doctor went so far as to make a map of the brain showing just where each of the faculties is supposed to be located.

It was the scientific development of phrenology. One of the little brain tracts was said to be the part that remembered names of people and things. The theory was generally believed, and whenever doctors had cases in which any part of the brain had been injured they studied the effects on the patient, and in this way the theory has been confirmed.

Patrick Mulhair, a brakeman on the Cleveland and Pittsburg railway, who is now confined in the St. Alexis hospital, Cleveland, recovering from a bullet wound in his brain, is illustrating one of the most wonderful theories of brain functions that the doctors have ever witnessed. Mulhair was shot in the head with a 32 calibre bullet. The ball went through the skull and plowed its way three-quarters of an inch into his brain. The hospital surgeons dug the bullet out, which is in itself a remarkable fine piece of surgical work, and now Mulhair is getting well. The part of the brain that was destroyed by the bullet was taken out.

It is a well know fact that when a part of the brain is destroyed it will not grow again as muscle and skin or even bone may do. But Mulhair's case is an especially good one from a surgical point of view. The part of his brain that was destroyed was that part with which he remembered and spoke the names of things and people. Since he has been in the hospital he has, until recently, been unable to speak the names of even the most ordinary articles. For instance, he could not speak or remember the word "spoon," and when he wanted one he had to indicate the article by motions. It was the same way with combs, brushes, food and everything else. Now he is recovering the power to remember and speak the names of things, and the hospital doctors think that he will soon be able to say anything that he wishes.

If this proves to be the case he will confirm a still more wonderful theory the doctors have about brain functions. The theory has been held for a long while that the right half of the speaking portion of the human brain lies dormant until some part of the left or working side is injured. Then the right side comes into use and does the work of the portion of the left side of the brain that is injured. This is the explanation of the fact that Mulhair is learning to speak the names of things again.

The odd part of it is that he has to learn the names of things over again just as though he has never known them. This is supposed to be because the right side of the brain, the side that has lain dormant until now, has never learned anything. He is having the same trouble to learn the names of people and things as a child has or a foreigner has in learning the English names and things.

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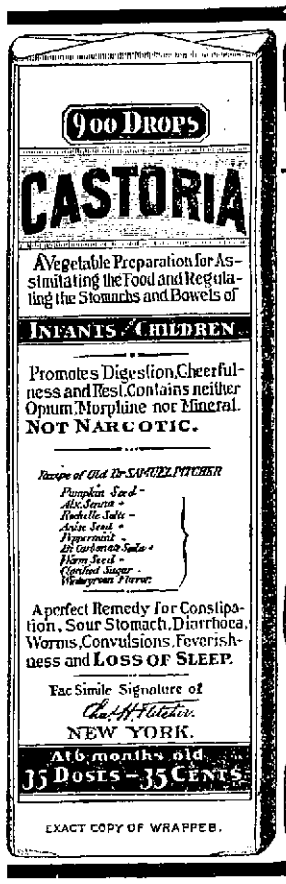

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No. 409 Detroit and Ind'pls Express	4 40 p.m

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No. 171 Local Freight	9 00 a.m
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No. 40 arrives daily	11 40 a.m
No. 42 (daily except Sunday)	10 25 p.m
No. 170 Local Freight	4 40 p.m

A Dangerous Experiment

Jep Jones Tells How the Bass Drum Was Introduced to Squan Creek

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Squan Creek had settled down to enjoy a period of peace and prosperity when Salathiel Green returned from a visit to Philadelphia. It wasn't that Salathiel's absence or home-coming made any particular difference, as far as he was personally concerned, but something he brought with him came very near causing a revolution throughout eastern New Jersey. The object was a bass drum. Salathiel had attended an auction and bid it in with the idea that Squan Creek might be induced to go ahead and organize a brass band. When he reached town he strung that drum around his neck and went marching up and down and across lots, and he not only felt that he was the biggest man for 40 miles around, but dozens of people told him so. It was the first bass drum ever seen in Squan Creek, and it excited far more interest than Joe Henry's one-eyed shark or Tom Parker's lobster with nine claws. Salathiel got home at six o'clock in the evening, but it was two o'clock next morning before that drum ceased to echo through the town. The beating began again soon after daybreak, and was kept up until three o'clock in the afternoon, at which hour a public meeting had been called to see about organizing a band. The meeting opened with Judge Taylor in the chair. The judge was enthusiastic for a brass band. He said we had the biggest fish, the fattest oysters, the largest crabs and the most gigantic liars on the face of the earth, but there was one thing lacking to put us on a plane with New York, Boston or Chicago. We had no brass band. He wasn't a rich man, but he had a public spirit, and they could put him down for $15. Not only that, but he would become a member of the band and beat time on the big drum.

The judge was followed by the postmaster, who said he was lame in the left leg and rather deaf in both ears, but his motto was Squan Creek first and last all the time. He'd give five dollars and beat the drum. The mayor of the village offered to give seven dollars and beat the drum, and he was followed by five or six different men. Everybody wanted the honor of pounding on that bass. When this sort of thing had gone on for some time Salathiel Green whacked three whacks on his drum to command attention, and arose and said:

"It sorter appears to me that to have a brass band we've got to have horns to toot on. Nobody has offered to toot on horns. As for the drummin' bizness that falls to me. I never was no hand to play the mouth-organ or accordion, but when it comes to poundin' a drum nobody can beat me. Jest listen to this!"

And he thumped the drum 15 or 20 thumps, and smiled like a tickled child and looked around for applause. He didn't get any, however. Every man in the meeting had decided that he would beat the time or have nothing to do with the band question. When it was seen that Salathiel was "sot" a committee was appointed to take him out back of the meeting-house and wrassle with him. Joe Henry was one of the five, and he smiled on Salathiel and began:

"What I want to see in this case is a speerit of brotherly love. This brass band is not to honor ourselves, but the town. We must pick out the best men. I ain't sayin' that Salathiel don't whack the drum fairly well, but he's lop-shouldered and his knees bend inwards. He wouldn't look purty in a purcession."

"I also want a speerit of brotherly love to prevail," added Moses Schermerhorn, as he patted Salathiel on the back. "I was observin' Brother Green as he marched around town this afternoon. He's got a monstrous ear for time, but he squints up one eye and draws his mouth around to the left. If our band was marchin' through the streets of New York I'm afeered the folks would guy him."

The other members of the committee advanced their objections, and when the last one had finished Salathiel gave that big drum two mighty whacks and said:

"You critters can all go to grass! I'm ownin' this drum, and I don't give it up to anybody!"

The committee had to return to the hall and report that nothin' could be done with the obstinate man, who stood out on the square pounding away until his own hair stood up. It was a good half hour before any speaking could be heard above the noise, and then Judge Taylor got up and said it was evident that patriotism was dead and public spirit in its last agonies. He had always looked upon Salathiel Green as a man who put Squan Creek before himself, and one ready to fill any breach, but the events of the last few hours had shown the man in his true colors. There would be no brass band. That is, he would withdraw his subscription and buy a big bass drum for himself and beat it for his own amusement.

The idea was considered a good one. The meeting and the band went to smash in about five minutes, and within an hour 15 different orders for 15 different big bass drums were on their way to Philadelphia. When Salathiel Green heard of it he was "sotter" than ever, and he used a whole bottle of liniment on his arms and wrists to enable him to pound the harder. That night he and his wife sat up all night and kept the drum busy, and nobody in Squan Creek got a wink of sleep. Along toward daylight Joe Henry, whose mother was on her dying bed, went over and offered Salathiel his one-eyed shark to stop pounding for an hour, but the "sottest" man spit on his hands to get a new hold and replied:

"Henry, me and you has slept in the same bed, been wrecked on the same sandbar and chawed on the same plug, and if you wanted 60 cents I'd lend it to you in a minit. I can't stop poundin', though. It's a matter of principle. It's me agin the whole town of Squan Creek, and I've got to show the town that I can't be downed."

Two days later the 15 drums arrived in a body. The 15 owners awaited them, and 15 men began pounding away as hard as they could strike. Thunderstorms and earthquakes and hurricanes wasn't in it by comparison. Every man went marching as he would, and he beat time to any old tune he could think of. In about an hour folks began to arrive from all over the country to find out the cause of the uproar, and three different schooners sent boats ashore to see if the townspeople wanted to be taken off. The racket was kept up for two days and a night, and not one of the drummers had yet shown signs of giving in, when something happened to save the town. The fire company came in from Freeport about 80 strong and jumped onto all the drums and drummers. Although Squan Creek was seven miles away that racket had kept everybody awake o'nights and upset business by day. As fast as the drums were captured they were thrown into the surf, and the last to go was the one which had caused all the trouble. When they finally chased Salathiel Green and his drum into the cooper shop and captured them he turned on them with:

"If this drum goes into the sea I go with it! It shall never be said that Squan Creek made me give up my rights!"

Those five men were an obligin' lot and they heaved Salathiel and his drum in together. The tide was just on the turn, and the drummer waved his hand to his wife, and then began pounding away as he floated out to sea. Long after he was out of sight we could hear the tum! tum! tum and he had been gone two full hours before the last faint echoes died away. Salathiel Green and his big drum never returned, but Squan Creek was saved from annihilation and from that day to this not so much as the strains of a mouth-organ have been heard on her streets.

Other Folks Might Laugh.

Making Distinctions.

"Do you know much about music?"

"Not a great deal," answered Mr. Bifshod. "But I've managed to figure out that if you hear anything in a theater at the cost of five dollars per seat it's art, and if somebody sings the same thing in an adjacent flat, or hammers it out on a piano, it's an infernal racket. I'm getting on."—Washington Star.

Love in a Flat.

"You don't care for a big house and lots of servants, do you?" he asked.

"Not at all," she replied, promptly.

"Don't you think that love in a flat would be delightful?" he persisted.

"Yes," she answered; "love in a flat, but not life with one."

He postponed his proposal.—Chicago Post.

"What did you smash him foh?"

"He insulted a frien' er mine."

"Go way! What did he say?"

"He said dat nex' ter me, my frien' wuz de mos' ign'nt pusson in dis community."—Washington Star.

Helpful Advice.

"I sent a dollar to a woman for a recipe to make me look young."

"What did you get?"

"A card saying: 'Always associate with women 20 years older than yourself.'"—Chicago Record.

The Undertaker's Lot

He Tells of Some of the Many Sorrows and Drawbacks of His Peculiar Occupation.

By CHARLES B. LEWIS. —Copyrighted.

"You see, now," began the undertaker in a plaintive voice, as he extended his hand, "if I was in the hardware business I'd probably have something new and novel in rat-traps or potato-mashers to show you, and if I was a grocer I could call your attention to fresh eggs, new teas and various sorts of jam. Even as a tailor or a cobbler it might prove interesting to interview me, but as an undertaker—"

"But the business has its lights and shadows," I protested.

"All shadows, sir—all shadows," he mournfully replied. "Let us begin at the beginning. As a youth I was effervescent. I was always bubbling—always laughing—always given to mirth. I was always thinking of riddles and jokes and conundrums, and I had the reputation of being a wit. I am the person, sir, who got off that conundrum: 'Why is an elephant like a brick?' and I was only 17 years old at the time. It was over a year before anyone guessed the answer: 'Because he can't climb a tree.' And it was I, sir, who first asked: 'What ails Hanna?' And it was I again who first wrung in that query about Tom Collins and first exclaimed: 'Ah! there!'"

The man shook his head in a mournful way and sighed heavily, and I had begun to feel sorry for him when he continued:

"I'd have been a comedian of the first water, or a second Artemus Ward. I was developing that way, and a fine and funny career was opening to me, when my father steered me into the undertaking business and changed the tenor of my life. Look at the irony of fate, sir. I am the man who originated the expression: 'I don't have to,' and yet I had to, sir, [illegible] go into the business and become what I am. I didn't feel so bad at first. I thought one could be an undertaker and yet crack jokes, invent riddles and spring conundrums on the unsuspecting public. It seemed to me that the situation offered even better advantages, but ah-um, sir—ah-um! I hadn't been in the business an hour when I discovered that there wasn't a smile from roof to cellar. The last catch-word I got off was just as I entered the doors: 'Pull down your vest.' Five minutes later I had pulled my own down, and it has never worked up since. Perhaps as an actor or a humorist I might have committed murder and been hung by the neck, but I look back with longing and regret. There are times, sir, when I positively ache to ask a customer why a clam up a tree is like a hen in a well, and I have to hold on to myself to keep from remarking: 'S'mother eye,' or 'Hardly ever.' I can't make you understand the feeling, sir."

"But there must be times—must be intervals—when you are alone—when you are out of the store—that you can indulge yourself?"

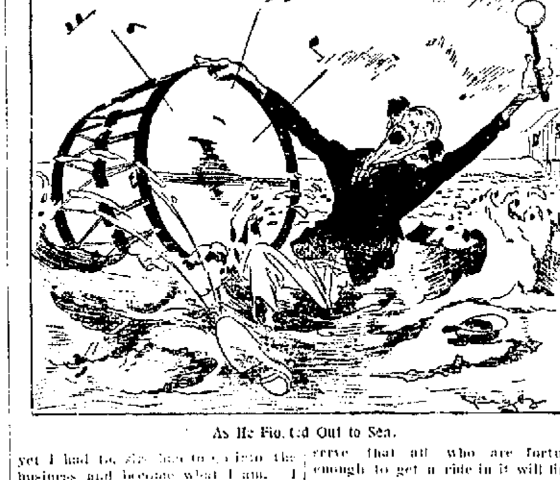
"Never—never a time, sir!" he groaned. "Once you get your voice attuned and your face set there must be no change. Your expression and speech are part of the business. There must be no trifling. Even when I wake up at midnight in my own bed and know that nobody can see or hear me I dare not trifle with myself enough to softly whisper: 'Oh! Cheese it.' No sir, it would never do. If I was in the dry goods business I could sing out to you as you came in the door: 'Ah! there, Cholly!' but just imagine my greeting anybody that way in this business! I smile, sir, but I never, never laugh. Other folks may laugh as a fat man strikes an icy corner and claws around for fence-rails and goes down with a whoop, but it is not for me, sir—not for me. It is not against the ethics to attend a minstrel show, but when I do attend, sir, it isn't over 15 minutes before the usher comes down with my money and whispers: 'Get out, old man—you are freezing up the show!' I am permitted to smile now and then, but it must not be a smile of exhilaration and good nature. No, sir. It must be a sad and sorrowful smile—something to make you think of a shaft with a lamb on top of it, even if you didn't know my line of business. Let me illustrate."

He smiled, and tears sprang to my eyes and my heart began to ache. He would have had me weeping in two minutes if he hadn't put the smile away to go on:

"And you see how it is when a customer comes in. I can't put on a cheery look and talk about great bargain sales, fresh stocks, newest designs and all that. And when they are ready to go I can't smile and bow and ask if there is anything more to-day and hope they will call again. I feel that I could write a drawing advertisement if I was a butcher or a grocer or kept a shoe store or was a knight of the yardstick, but what opportunity does this business furnish? Can I send out postals asking people to give my goods a trial, and giving a warranty that they will never go elsewhere after one purchase? Can I say that I am in business to give fits, and that prices are no object if customers are pleased? If I should get out dodgers reading: 'Here you are—prices cut in two—goods can't be beat—come with the rush,' the police would have to keep off the mob. A grocer can advertise: 'Shell out—Long Island eggs fresh every day—hens up to biz,' but I must sit with folded hands and wait for customers."

I didn't know what to say to comfort him, and therefore kept silent, and it was a long minute before he said:

"I never pick up a newspaper without seeing a puff for Brown or Jones or Green. They have just received a fresh stock and are going in with a bang to whoop up trade and whoop down prices. They are spoken of as enterprising, wide-awake, hustling fellows who are a credit to the town, and everybody is advised to get in early and have first pick of the bargains. Did you ever see a puff for an undertaker, sir? Of course not. He can't be puffed. No newspaper can call him a hustler and pat him on the back for his enterprise. It is forbidden him to hustle. He never attends bankrupt sales, and never has bargains. Now and then there is a brief paragraph that some undertaker has bought a new hearse, but the fact is never enlarged upon. It can't be. No newspaper can indulge in the hope that the new purchase will frequently be seen in the street, or observe that all who are fortunate enough to get a ride in it will find it up to date in all its appointments. It's sad, sir—very sad."



As He Floated Out to Sea.

I was mentally sympathizing with him when he turned to inquire:

"And office, sir—do they ever elect an undertaker to office? Do you ever hear of an undertaker making an after-dinner speech? Is he ever appointed marshal of the Fourth of July parade, or pointed out to strangers as a hero or philosopher? He never delivers an address of welcome—never shoves in his oar at a banquet—never is asked to sign his name to a petition to the common council. He's not in the business, sir—he's in some other business. Got to go? I'm glad you dropped in. In your going I should like to observe that when you need anything extra nice in my line call around and I'll give you bed-rock figures, but you see, sir—you realize how it would strike you. I can't even ask you to drop a good word for me among your friends, nor hope you will call often. I am sorrowful, sir. It is my business to be sorrowful, and the nearest approach to levity I dare attempt is to observe that the winter boom seems to have set in and things are coming my way."

How It Happened.

White Man—Nearly a hundred years old, eh? To what do you attribute your longevity, uncle?

Uncle Shinpaugh—Sah? Wat's dat yo' specifies 'bout de distribution ob my longitude, sah?

White Man—Why, I asked you how it is that you have lived so long?

Uncle Shinpaugh—Uh, dat's it? I specks, sah, it's b'kaze I neber died.—Judge.

NOTES OF REFORM.

The saloon never takes a vacation.—New Voice.

With the sanction of the law the liquor traffic robs men of money and health and character.—New Voice.

The man who is not prepared to be as radical as truth will never wear a reformer's crown, or bear a reformer's martyrdom.—National Advocate.

Mrs. Callas obtained a verdict of $1,000 in a suit against Fred Muntz, a Carbondale, Ill., saloonkeeper, for selling liquor to her husband, who was murdered after he left the saloon.

The Haverhill (Conn.) Temperance union, over the signature of the president, has offered a reward of $50 for the conviction of anyone concerned in the illegal sale of liquor.

Toronto, which has a population of 200,000, boasts of having "more universities than distilleries, more colleges than breweries, more churches than barrooms." Good for Toronto!

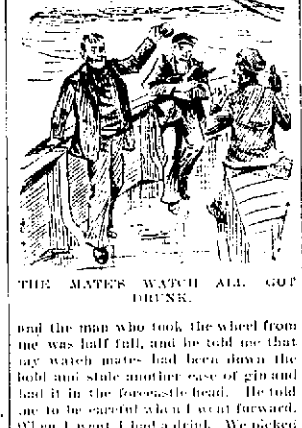
Mrs. Maxwell, the Miss Braddon of literary fame, never touches stimulants of any kind. For 40 years she has been at her arduous work, and her pen is still brilliant and apparently exhaustless. She attributes her perennial youth to her total abstinence.—[illegible]

A SAILOR'S YARNS.

How Liquor on Board Ship Plays Havoc with the Discipline of the Crew—Awful Experiences.

The secretary of the American Seamen's Friend society says in the Sailors' Magazine: One day not long ago an old sailor came into his office and spun the following yarns to him, and they are here reproduced as a specimen of "life on the ocean wave."

"We were on the Jason from Liverpool to Calcutta. We had good winds and set all sails, even the studding sails on both sides of the ship. We couldn't find a yard for one, and the second mate sent me and another to the hold to find a yard. When we got down there we saw boxes of spirits, and knocked the lids off some of them. I took a bottle out and handed it to him. The fore hatch being off, I jumped up and he passed the bottle up and I put it in the leg of one of my sea-boots; that night we drank it. One of the watch asked me where I got it. I told him. That night the watch went down and got a case up. We kept it quiet for two or three weeks, and the other watch did not know of it. One day one of our watch gave a drink to a man in the other watch. They found out we had liquor, and stole it from us. The mate's watch all got drunk on deck and got to fighting. While the men were fighting-drunk, a German sailor was at the wheel for four hours. When I took the wheel from the German the wind blowing off the starboard side, the captain stood close to me on the lee side to smell my breath, but smelt no liquor on me, because the other fellows had stolen it. I stayed at the wheel two hours, till two o'clock, and the man who took the wheel from me was half full, and he told me that my watch mates had been down the hold and stole another case of gin and had it in the forecastle head. He told me to be careful when I went forward. When I went I had a drink. We picked out one man as the man who stole the liquor while we were asleep. Some wanted to take him out of his bunk and throw him overboard, when the vessel was sailing ten or eleven knots an hour. 'No,' said I, 'if we do, we'll be tried for murder. We'll just get his chest and throw that overboard.' We got it and threw it over the side. A German was asleep on the chest rolled up in a white blanket. When he was rolled over they thought he was awake and would tell on them the next day; so they determined to throw him overboard. 'No,' said I; I drew my sheath knife and said: 'I'll cut any man who touches him and I'll call the mate.' They left him alone. The next morning the man who owned the chest went to the captain. Fighting went on then every day for two months. The captain knew about the liquor, but couldn't stop it. At last we got to Calcutta, and the captain hoisted a flag for the police, and we were all taken before a magistrate and tried for mutiny and broaching cargo on the high seas. Some got three months, some six, some nine, and some 12 months.



THE MATE'S WATCH ALL GOT DRUNK.

"There was a ship going to New Zealand with emigrants aboard, and the crew got hold of cases of candles and matches; and they lighted three or four candles in the hold to look for liquor. They found it, and went down night after night and became crazy from the effects of the liquor, and left burning candles in the hold. The ship caught fire, and out of 360 emigrants there was only one boat's crew saved, 12 out of 22 being seamen. There was nothing in the boat—no water, no food. A sick woman in the boat was killed and eaten to save life. Days after the boat was picked up by the British Princess and the saved were landed in St. Helena. This was in the seventies.

"I worked four or five nights on a ship to get off the planks that covered the cargo so as to get at the liquor. Got one or two planks down, and I got inside, but there was little room to move, but I got hold of one case, but it turned out to be jam. I passed it up, took the jars out and threw the empty case overboard. Found out the liquor was at the other end of the ship. Got another case, which looked like a long trunk and had a padlock on it. I broke it open and found it filled with fancy slippers, and divided them among four of us fongas, each taking 50 or 60 pairs, and threw many overboard. Had jam enough to last all the way to Sydney. Two weeks before we got there the captain found out we had been broaching cargo. My mate told me the carpenter told him that. I told him I didn't believe it, and that he was frightened because he had 60 pair. He and his partner threw away what slippers he got. Me and my partner got ours into Sydney and the captain never knew about it. We sold them to a Jew shop night after night.

"Three years ago, when I was 67 years old, I was on a vessel at pier 9, New York, and the German cook belonged to the Mariners' church, and he took me up there several nights, and he was a good Christian. I went with him just to pass the time. Heard many sailors give their testimonies. When I went back the devil said to me: 'Don't listen to those men; they get their living out of that.' The German cook talked to me night after night. I heard Mr. Booth, and his words made a great impression on my heart, and he made things plain and made me feel that there was a God and another world. His words made an impression that I didn't want to hear anybody else preach. For two or three months this went on, and then I came to Christ. I never knew a day's happiness until I came to Christ. And now I want to do all the good I can."

This is the sailor's yarn, almost word for word. The editor has looked up his record since his conversion and finds that he is an earnest out-and-out Christian. What hath God wrought!

THE SOCIAL FEATURE.

Proves the Greatest Attraction of the Saloon—Experience of a Patron of Saloons.

A correspondent of the New York Sun touches upon a vital point in the saloon business when he says: "An experience of about 15 years as a patron of saloons qualifies me to speak with knowledge, if not with authority, on the subject, and my observation is that the saloon keeper derives a large part of his revenue by conducting his place in such a manner as to meet the social wants of his customers and to foster the convivial spirit among them. During the first five or six years of this experience, what drinking I did was done wholly in the convivial way, and not either from the need or the desire of alcoholic stimulation. In time, of course, the desire and perhaps the need of the stimulation was created, and I visited the saloons for drink as well as for social recreation, but even then, under the influence of the attractive surroundings, absorbed more alcohol than I needed, and left more money in the proprietor's till than would have been the case had the drink been the sole object of my visit."

Sure Road to the Madhouse.

One of the surest ways of ending one's days in a madhouse is to stimulate a fagged brain by constant "nips" of spirits. Overindulgence in spirits injure the memory to an incredible degree. In years gone by no person who was known to be of intemperate habits was permitted to appear as a witness in the Spanish courts of justice, the authorities maintaining that alcoholism was so prejudicial to the brain that it was unsafe to accept the testimony of an inebriate. There is a singular instance on record of a merchant who grew so accustomed to jogging his brain by brandy drinking that unless he could procure a nip he was utterly unable to work. Needless to say, he generally left his office in a state of intoxication. The day that his brain collapsed he went home and insisted on putting every member of his family to bed, under the impression that they, too, had drunk not wisely, but too well.—Cassell's Journal.

Intoxicants Fatal in Alaska.

In a recent interview in Chicago Joaquin Miller, the poet, who has spent some time in Alaska, said: "To use intoxicants in Alaska is fatal. No one can use stimulants without serious results. Even coffee is not necessary to the habitual coffee drinker. Tea is the proper beverage there, and that is the popular drink. Whisky is a deadly thing to the Indians, and they are perishing in Alaska very rapidly."

Face About.

Face about, I say, because, although for nearly half a century the church and the saloon have been at war, they have never faced each other in an open field. Which means, of course, that the saloon has determined, for both itself and its antagonist, a policy for the conduct of hostilities.—The New Voice.

The Church of England Temperance society has formed a legislative board with the object of agitating for the carrying out by parliament of Lord Peel's report. The new board is practically the old evidence board, which furnished evidence before the royal commission. If possible a committee of members of parliament will be got together to represent inside the house the action of the board outside.

RED HOT FROM THE GUN

Was the ball that hit G. B. Steadman, of Newark, Mich., in the civil war. It caused horrible ulcers that no treatment helped for 20 years. Then Bucklen's Arnica Salve cured him. Cures cuts, bruises, burns, boils, felons, corns, skin eruptions. Best pile cure on earth. 25 cts. a box. Cure guaranteed. Sold by Dreier & Bro., druggists.

Africa has nearly 700 languages, and this fact presents great difficulties to missionary effort.

Holiday Goods

For Christmas and New Years.

WHITE FRUIT HOUSE.

The year 1899 is drawing to a close. Xmas and New Years will soon be upon us. In order to supply the wants of the trade we have laid in an extraordinarily large stock of goods. Notwithstanding the advance in prices going up, our supplies were purchased early, thereby you will receive the benefit of the low prices.

The Sugar market has taken a drop of a half cent per pound on all grades.

SUGARS DOWN ½C POUND.

Choice C Sugar, 4½c lb.	Coffee A Sugar, 5c lb.
Choice Yellow Extra C Sugar 4½ lb	Best Granulated Sugar, 5c lb.
Cut Loaf, Sugar 5½c lb.	Powdered Sugar, 5½c lb.

COFFEES STILL REMAIN UNCHANGED.

We now make a specialty of roasting our best Rio Coffee here at home, and in this way can put it out to you in a much fresher state than in packages. Besides, you can see what you are buying, as it is roasted and not in packages. It is quite a saving to our customers and a much better article.

Good Rio, Green, 8c lb.	Our Best Roasted Rio, 12½c lb.
Very Best Green Rio, 10c lb.	Bonita in Packages, 10c lb.
Old Government Java, Green, 25c lb.	Roasted Java, 30c lb.
Rich Mocha, green, 25c lb.	Roasted Mocha, 30c lb.

TEAS. TEAS. TEAS.

There has not been any change in this market during the year. The tea remains the same.

Good, Young Hyson, 35c lb.	Best, Imperial 50c lb.
Extra Good, 40c lb.	English Breakfast, best, 50c lb.
Very Best Young Hyson, 50c lb.	Good Oolong 35c lb; best 50c lb.
Gunpowder, good, 40c lb; best 50c lb.	Japan Tea, 40c; best, 50c lb.
	Tea Dust in 1 lb package, 25c lb.

CANNED GOODS.

The peach crop has been very small, there will be no eastern peaches and California will supply the trade.

California Green Gages, 14c can	Tidal Wave Tomatoes, 8c can.
California Egg Plums, 14c can.	Chester Sugar Corn, 7c can
California Apricots, 16c can.	Egyptian Cream Corn, 10c can.
California Peaches, 17c can.	Early June Peas, 8c can.
California White Cherries 25c can	String Beans, 8c can.

DRIED FRUITS.

The market on dried fruits has been affected the same as canned goods.

California Raisins, 9c lb.	Evaporated Apples, 10c lb.
Best California Raisins, 12c lb.	Domestic Apples, 7c lb.
California Apricots 18c lb.	Pitted Cherries, 12c lb.
California Prunes 5c and 9c lb.	New Currants 8c lb.
	No. 1 Raspberries, 17c lb.

FISH. FISH. FISH.

Family White Fish, ½ bbl., $1.50	Best Mackerel, kit, $2.10
Fancy White Fish, kit, 7[illegible]c	Scotch Herring, keg, $1.25
No. 1 White Fish, kit, $1.00	Holland Herring, keg, $1.10.
Mackerel, kit, $1.25	Best Georgia Bank Cod Fish, whole, 7c
Labrador Herring, 1½c each.	Summer Cured Cod Fish, 7c.

OILS—HARNESS, NEATSFOOT, LINSEED AND MACHINE.

Harness Oil, 50c gallon	Machine Oil, Dark, 40c gal.
Boiled Linseed Oil, 60c gallon	Neatsfoot, 60c gallon.
Raw Linseed Oil, 50c gallon	Fish Oil, 60c gallon
Castor Oil 70c gal	Lard Oil, 60c gallon
Machine Oil, bright, 25c gallon.	

MAPLE SYRUP, OTHER SYRUPS AND NEW ORLEANS MOLASSES.

Golden Drips, 25c per gallon.	Good New Orleans Molasses, 45c gal.
Best New Orleans, 5[illegible]c gal.	Rich Yellow Sorghum, 40c gal.
Maple Syrup, 75c per gallon.	Lyndon Maple Syrup in bottles, 35c.

WINES AND LIQUORS, FOR MEDICAL USE ONLY

Kelley Island Catawba, 70c gallon	California Angelica, 80c gallon
Kelley Island Port, 80c gallon	California Muscatel, 80c gallon
California Sherry, 80c gallon	Wines in bottles, 25c and 30c.
German Kuemmel, $1.50 gallon.	Whiskies, new, $1.10 and $1.25 gallon.
German Kuemmel, bottles, 60c.	Whiskies, old, $1.40 $1.75 and $2.50 gallon.

FINE CUT AND PLUG TOBACCO AND CIGARS.

Pay Car Fine Cut, 34c lb.	Horse Shoe, Plug, 45c lb.
Sweet Cuba Fine Cut, 45c lb.	Battle Ax, 38c plug; J. T. Plug, 35c lb.
Hiawatha Fine Cut, 65c lb.	Standard Navy Plug, 35c plug.
Our Mary Cigars, [illegible]c per box.	Bamboo Smoking, 22c lb.
Artistic Cigars, 65c per box.	Golden Star Smoking, 25c lb.
Tan Cigars, $1.25 per box.	Mail Pouch, 45c lb.

CANDIES OF ALL KINDS.

Pure Stick, per lb, 9c	Bon Bons, extra, 10c lb
Pure French Mixed, 7c lb	Bon Bon Fruit, 20c lb
French Mottoes, 12c lb	Cinnamon Drops, 10c lb
Gum Drops, 5c lb	Peppermint Lozenges, 10c lb

TOYS FOR CHRISTMAS AND NEW YEARS.

Our stock is large and well assorted. No end to the Dolls, Albums, Vases, China Sets, Dogs, Lions, Horses, Tigers, Elephants, Drums, Monkeys, Parrots and such goods as Santa Claus carries for the little ones. Old and young can be suited in buying presents from 5c up to $1.00.

The Christmas Tree candles are cheap this year, never have been so low; 8c for a box that we usually sold for 12c. All kinds of Xmas tree ornaments, such as Colored Balls, Golden Dragons and figures for tree decorations.

Carpets, Mattings, Oil Cloth, Linoleums and Window Shades

We have a large line and nice assortment of Oil Cloths, Carpets and Window Shades. We keep all grades and prices. The whole corner is devoted to these goods so you can find a good display at low prices.

Window Shades, good, 10c each.	Linoleum, good, 85c yard.
Window Shades, extra, 25c each.	Linoleum, best, $1.40 yard.
Window Shades, best, 30c each.	Floor Oil Cloth, good, 22c yard.
Rag Carpet, good, per yard, 22c.	Floor Oil Cloth, best, 30c yard.
Rag Carpet, home-made, per yard, 35c.	Ingrain Carpets good, 25c yard.
Brussels Carpet, good, yard, 85c.	Ingrain Carpets, 50c yard.
Brussels Carpet, best, yard 65c.	Extra Supers, per yard 60c.

Be sure and give us a call and we will save you 20 per cent. on above goods.

White Fruit House.

FORT WAYNE, INDIANA.

DR. TALMAGE'S SERMON.

AN INSPIRING SERMON ON THE HOME THAT WAS NOT MADE WITH HANDS.

Washington, Nov. 9.—In a unique way the heavenly world is discoursed upon, by Dr. Talmage, in this sermon under the figure of a home. Text: John xiv., 2, "In my Father's house are many rooms."

Here is a bottle of medicine that is a cure-all. The disciples were sad, and Christ offered heaven as an alterative, a stimulant and a tonic. He shows them that their sorrows are only a dark background of a bright picture of coming felicity. He lets them know that though now they live on the lowlands, they shall yet have a house on the uplands. Nearly all the Bible descriptions of heaven may be figurative. I am not positive that in all heaven there is a literal crown or harp or pearly gate or throne or chariot. They may be only used to illustrate the glories of the place, but how well they do it! The favorite symbol by which the Bible presents celestial happiness is a house. Paul, who never owned a house, although he hired one for two years in Italy, speaks of heaven as a "house not made with hands," and Christ in our text, the translation of which is a little changed, so as to give the more accurate meaning, says: "In my Father's house are many rooms."

Millennia ago God built on the hills of heaven a great homestead for a family innumerable, yet to be. At first he lived alone in that great house, but after awhile it was occupied by a very large family, cherubic, seraphic, angelic. The eternities passed on, and many of the inhabitants became wayward and left, never to return, and many of the apartments were vacated. I refer to the fallen angels. Now these apartments are filling up again. There are arrivals at the old homestead of God's children every day, and the day will come when there will be no unoccupied room in all the house.

MANY APARTMENTS.

As you and I expect to enter it and make there eternal residence, I thought you would like to get some more particulars about the many-roomed homestead. "In my Father's house are many rooms." You see the place is to be apportioned off into apartments. We shall love all who are in heaven, but there are some very good people whom we would not want to live with in the same room. They may be better than we are, but they are of a different temperament. We would like to meet with them on the golden streets, and worship with them in the temple, and walk with them on the river banks, but I am glad to say that we shall live in different apartments. "In my Father's house are many rooms." You see, heaven will be so large that if one wants an entire room to himself or herself it can be afforded.

An ingenious statistician, taking the statement made in Revelation, twenty-first chapter, that the heavenly Jerusalem was measured and found to be 12,000 furlongs, and the length and heighth and breadth of it are equal, says that would make heaven in size 948 sextillion, 958 quintillion cubic feet; and then reserving a certain portion for the court of heaven and the streets, and estimating that the world may last 100,000 years, he ciphers out that there are over five trillion rooms, each room seventeen feet long, sixteen feet wide and fifteen feet high. But I have no faith in the accuracy of that calculation. He makes the rooms too small. From all I can read, the rooms will be palatial, and those who have not had enough room in this world will have plenty of room at the last.

WORLD IS CROWDED.

The fact is, that most people in this world are crowded, and though out on a vast prairie or in a mountain district people may have more room than they want, in most cases it is house built close to house, and the streets are crowded, and the cradle is crowded by other cradles, and the graves crowded in the cemetery by other graves, and one of the richest luxuries of many people in getting out of this world will be the gaining of unhindered and uncramped room. And I should not wonder if, instead of the room that the statistician ciphered out as only seventeen by sixteen feet, it should be larger than any of the rooms at Berlin, St. James of Windsor Palace. "In my Father's house are many rooms."

Carrying out still further the symbolism of the text, let us join hand and go up to this majestic homestead and see for ourselves. As we ascend the golden steps an invisible guardsman swings open the front door, and we are ushered to the right into the reception room of the old homestead. That is the place where we first met the welcome of heaven. There must be a place where the departed spirit enters and a place in which it confronts the inhabitants celestial. The reception of the newly arrived from this world—what scenes it must have witnessed since the first guest arrived, the victim of the first fratricide, pious Abel! In that room Christ lovingly greets all newcomers. He redeemed them, and He has the right to the first embrace on arrival. What a minute when the ascending spirit first sees the Lord! Better than all we ever read about Him, or talked about Him, or sang about Him in all the churches and through all our earthly lifetime, will it be, just for one second to see Him.

HISTORY'S MIGHTIEST MOMENT

The most rapturous idea we ever had of Him on sacramental days or at the height of some great revival, or under the uplifted baton of an oratorio, are a bankruptcy of thought compared with the first flash of His appearance in that reception room. At that moment when you confront each other, Christ looking upon you and you looking upon Christ, there will be an ecstatic thrill and surging of emotion that beggars all description. Look! They need no introduction. Long ago Christ chose that repentant sinner, and that repentant sinner chose Christ. Mightiest moment of an immortal history—the first kiss of heaven! Jesus and the soul. The soul and Jesus.

But now into that reception room pour the glorified kinfolk. Enough of earthly retention to let you know them, but without their wounds or their sicknesses or their troubles. See what heaven has done for them! so radiant, so gleeful, so transportingly lovely! They call you by name, they greet you with an ardor proportioned to the anguish of your parting and the length of your separation. Father! Mother! There is your child. Sisters! Brothers! Friends! I wish you joy. For years apart, together again in the reception room of the old homestead. You see they will know you are coming. There are so many immortals filling all the spaces between here and heaven that news like that flies like lightning. They will be there in an instant, though they were in some other world on an errand from God, a signal would be thrown that would fetch them. Though you might at first feel dazed and overawed at their supernal splendor, all that feeling will be gone at their first touch of heavenly salutation, and we will say: "Oh, my lost boy!" "Oh, my lost friend, and we are here together?"

REUNION OF SAINTS.

What scenes in that reception room of the old homestead have been witnessed! There met Joseph and Jacob, finding it a brighter room than anything they saw in Pharaoh's palace; David and the little child for whom he once fasted and wept; Mary and Lazarus after the heartbreak of Bethany; Timothy and grandmother Lois; Isabella Graham and her sailor son; Alfred and George Cookman, the mystery of the sea at last made manifest; Luther and Magdalene, the daughter he bemoaned; John Howard and the prisoners whom he gospelized; and multitudes without number who, once so weary and so sad, parted on earth but gleefully met in heaven. Among all the rooms of that house there is no one that more enraptures my soul than that reception room. "In my Father's house are many rooms."

Another room in our Father's house is the throne room. We belong to the royal family. The blood of King Jesus flows in our veins, so we have a right to enter the throne room. It is no easy thing on earth to get through even the outside door of a king's residence. During the Franco-German war, one eventide in the summer of 1870, I stood studying the exquisite sculpturing of the gate of the Tuileries, Paris. Lost in admiration of the wonderful art of that gate, I know not that I was exciting suspicion. Lowering my eyes to the crowds of people, I found myself being closely inspected by the governmental officials, who, from my complexion, judged me to be a German, and that for some belligerent purpose I might be examining the gates of the palace. My explanation in very poor French did not satisfy them, and they followed me long distances until I reached my hotel, and were not satisfied until from my landlord they found that I was only an inoffensive American.

Another room in our Father's house is the music room. St. John and other Bible writers talk so much about the music of heaven that there must be music there, perhaps not much as on earth was thrummed from trembling strings or evoked by touch of ivory keys, but if not that then something better. There are so many Christian harpists and Christian composers and Christian organists and Christian choristers and Christian hymnologists that have gone up from earth, there must be for them some place of especial delectation. Shall we have music in this world of discords, and no music in the land of complete harmony? I cannot give you the notes of the first bar of the new song that is sung in heaven. I cannot imagine either the solo or the doxology. But heaven means music, and can mean nothing else. Occasionally that music has escaped the gate. Dr. Fuller, dying at Beaufort, S. C., said: "Do you not hear?" "Hear what?" "The music! Lift me up! Open the windows!"

HEADQUARTERS OF RHYTHM.

In that music room of our Father's house you will some day meet the old masters, Mozart and Handel and Mendelssohn and Beethoven and Doddridge, whose sacred poetry was as remarkable as his sacred prose; and James Montgomery and William Cowper, at last got rid of his spiritual melancholy; and Bishop Heber, who sang of "Greenland's icy mountains and India's coral strand;" and Dr. Raffles, who wrote of "High in Yonder Realms of Light;" and Isaac Watts, who went to visit Sir Thomas Abney and wife for a week, but proved himself so agreeable a guest that they made him stay thirty-six years; and side by side Augustus Toplady, who has got over his dislike for Methodists, and Charles Wesley, freed from his dislike for Calvinists; and George W. Bethune, as sweet as a song maker as he was great as a preacher, and the author of "The Village Hymns," and many who wrote in verse or song in church or by eventide cradle; and many who were passionately fond of music but could make none themselves. The poorest singer there more than any earthly prima donna, and the poorest player there more than any earthly Gottschalk. Oh, that music room, the headquarters of cadence and rhythm, symphony and chant, psalm and antiphon! May we be there some hour when Haydn sits at the keys of one of his own oratorios, and David, the psalmist, fingers the harp, and Miriam of the Red Sea banks claps the cymbals, and Gabriel puts his lips to the trumpet and the four and twenty elders chant, and Lind and Parepa render matchless duet in the music room of the old heavenly homestead. "In my Father's house are many rooms."

THE FAMILY ROOM.

Another room in our Father's house will be the family room. It may correspond somewhat with the family room on earth. At morning and evening, you know, that is the place we now meet. Though every member of the household have a separate room, in the family room they all gather, and joys and sorrows and experiences of all styles are there rehearsed. Sacred room in all our dwellings! whether it be luxurious with ottomans and divans, and books in Russian bids standing in mahogany case, or there be only a few plain chairs and a cradle. Of the family room on high will be the place where the kinfolk assemble and talk over the family experiences of earth, the weddings, the births, the burials, the festal days of Christmas and Thanksgiving reunion. Will the children departed remain children there? Will the aged remain aged there? Oh, no; everything is perfect there. The child will go ahead to glorified maturity, and the aged will go back to glorified maturity. The rising sun of the one will rise to meridian, and the descending sun of the other will return to meridian. However much we loved our children on earth we would consider it a domestic disaster if they stayed children, and so we rejoice in their growth here. And when we meet in the family room of our Father's house we will be glad that they have grandly and gloriously matured; while our parents, who were aged and infirm here, we shall be glad to find restored to the most agile and vigorous immortality there. If forty or forty-five or fifty years be the apex of physical and mental life on earth then the heavenly childhood will advance to that, and the heavenly old age will retreat to that. When we join them in that family room we shall have much to tell them. We shall want to know of them, right away, such things as these: Did you see us in this or that or the other struggle? Did you know when we lost our property, and sympathize with us? Did you know we had that awful sickness? Were you hovering anywhere around us when we plunged into that memorable accident? Did you know of our back-sliding? Did you know of that moral victory? Were you pleased when we started for heaven? Did you celebrate the hour of our conversion?

WILL BE NO SECRETS.

And then, whether they know it or not, we will tell them all. But they will have more to tell us than we to tell them. Ten years on earth may be very eventful, but what must be the biography of ten years in heaven? They will have to tell us the story of coronations, story of news from all immensity, story of conquerors and hierarchs, story of wrecked or randsomed planets, story of angelic victory over diabolic revolts, of extinguished suns, of obliterated constellations, of new galaxies kindled and swung, of stranded comets, of worlds of fire, and story of Jehovah's majestic reign. In that family room of our Father's house we have so much to tell them of what we have passed through since we parted, how much more thrilling and arousing that which they have to tell us of what they have passed through since we parted. Surely that family room will be one of the most favored rooms in all our Father's house. What long lingering there, for we shall never again be in a hurry! "Let me open a window," said an humble Christian servant to Lady Raffles, who, because of the death of her child, had shut herself up in a dark room, and refused to see anyone. "You have been many days in this dark room. Are you not ashamed to grieve in this manner, when you ought to be thankful to God for having given you the most beautiful child that ever was seen, and instead of leaving him in this world till he should be worn with trouble, has not God taken him to heaven in all his beauty! Leave off weeping, and let me open a window." So today I am trying to open upon the darkness of earthly separation the windows and doors and rooms of the heavenly homestead. "In my Father's house are many rooms."

How would it do for my sermon to leave you in that family room today? I am sure there is no room in which you would rather stay than in the enraptured circle of your ascended and glorified kinsfolk. We might visit other rooms in our Father's house. There may be picture galleries penciled not with earthly art but by some process unknown in this world, preserving for the next world the brightest and most stupendous scenes of human history. And there may be lines and forms of earthly beauty preserved for heavenly inspection in something whiter, and chaster, and richer than Venetian sculpture ever wrought. Rooms beside rooms. Rooms over rooms. Large rooms, majestic rooms, opalescent rooms, emethystine rooms. "In my Father's house are many rooms."

I hope none of us will be disappointed about getting there. There is a room for us if we will go and take it, but in order to reach it, it is absolutely necessary that we take the right way, and Christ is the way; and we must enter at the right door, and Christ is the door; and we must start in time, and the only hour you are sure of is the hour the clock now strikes, and the only second the one your watch is now ticking. I hold in my hand a roll of letters inviting you all to make that your home forever. The New Testament is only a roll of letters inviting you, as the spirit of them practically says: "My dying, yet immortal, child in earthly neighborhood, I must build for you a great residence. It is full of rooms. I have furnished them as no palace was ever furnished. Pearls are nothing, emeralds are nothing, chrysoprasus is nothing, illumined panels of sunrise and sunset nothing, the aurora of the northern heavens nothing, compared with the splendor with which I have garnitured them. But you must be clean before you can enter there, and so I have opened a fountain where you may wash all your sins away. Come now! Put your weary, but cleansed feet on the upward pathway. Do you not see among the thick foliage on the heavenly hilltops the old family homestead?" "In my Father's house are many rooms."

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No. 51 Dining Room Table Cloth.

Table Cloth, white with red bars. Size 54 x 54 inches. **Sent post-paid on receipt of 2 cent postage stamp and 60 signatures** cut from wrappers of Arbuckles' Roasted Coffee.

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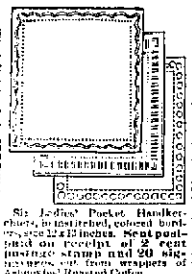

Six Ladies' Pocket Handkerchiefs, hemstitched, colored borders, size 12 x 12 inches. **Sent post-paid on receipt of 2 cent postage stamp and 20 signatures** cut from wrappers of Arbuckles' Roasted Coffee.

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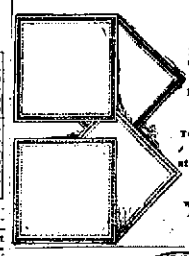
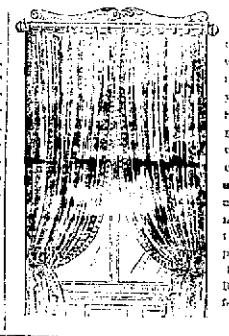


Four Gentlemen's Handkerchiefs, hemstitched, colored borders, size 16 x 16½ inches. **Sent post-paid on receipt of 2 cent postage stamp and 20 signatures** cut from wrappers of Arbuckles' Roasted Coffee.

No. 52. Lady's Apron.

Fine quality white lawn, wide strings and fancy lace insertion. Size 32 x 40 inches. **Sent post-paid on receipt of two cent postage stamp and 25 signatures** cut from wrappers of Arbuckles' Roasted Coffee.

No. 54. A Pair of Window Curtains.

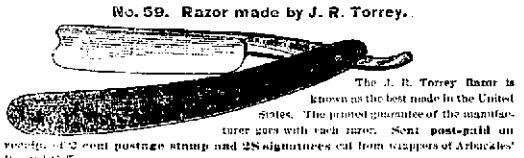


Each Curtain is made of white lawn, and three quarter yards long. **Sent post-paid on receipt of 2 cent postage stamp and 65 signatures** cut from wrappers of Arbuckles' Roasted Coffee.

No. 58. A Pair of Shears.

Of the best American make, 8 inches long. **Sent post-paid on receipt of 2 cent postage stamp and 15 signatures** cut from wrappers of Arbuckles' Roasted Coffee.

No. 59. Razor made by J. R. Torrey.



The J. R. Torrey Razor is known as the best made in the United States. The printed guarantee of the manufacturer goes with each razor. **Sent post-paid on receipt of 2 cent postage stamp and 28 signatures** cut from wrappers of Arbuckles' Roasted Coffee.

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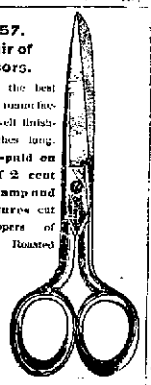

Made by the best American manufacturers and well finished, 5½ inches long. **Sent post-paid on receipt of 2 cent postage stamp and 15 signatures** cut from wrappers of Arbuckles' Roasted Coffee.

No. 60. Lady's Belt.

Latest style, grain leather in color to match, nickel plated buckles. Belts are fifteen and a half inches long, given size of waist in inches when ordering, from 22 inches to 32 inches, from 33 to 40 inches. **Sent post-paid on receipt of a 2 cent postage stamp and 20 signatures** cut from the wrappers of Arbuckles' Roasted Coffee.

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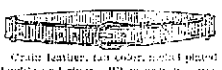

Grain leather, tan color, nickel plated buckle and plate. When ordering give size of waist in inches. Belts are cut to 44 inches in length. **Sent post-paid on receipt of 2 cent postage stamp and 20 signatures** cut from wrappers of Arbuckles' Roasted Coffee.

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A first-class set, mounted with genuine buck-horn handles. Knife blade 9 inches long. **Sent by express, charges prepaid, on receipt of 2 cent postage stamp and 90 signatures** cut from wrappers of Arbuckles' Roasted Coffee. When ordering name your nearest Express Office as well as your Post Office.

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Six inch blade, hard wood handle, good material and well finished. **Sent post-paid on receipt of 2 cent postage stamp and 20 signatures** cut from wrappers of Arbuckles' Roasted Coffee.

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Has two finely finished blades. Handle beautifully variegated in imitation of onyx. **Sent post-paid on receipt of 2 cent postage stamp and 30 signatures** cut from wrappers of Arbuckles' Roasted Coffee.

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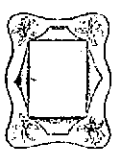
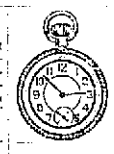


Parlor size frame, silver back. **Sent post-paid on receipt of 2 cent postage stamp and 12 signatures** cut from wrappers of Arbuckles' Roasted Coffee.

No. 66. A Gentleman's Pocket Knife.

Two bladed knife made of best materials and finished in workmanlike manner. **Sent post-paid on receipt of 2 cent postage stamp and 40 signatures** cut from wrappers of Arbuckles' Roasted Coffee.

No. 69. A Gentleman's Watch.



This New Haven watch is of the ordinary size. Stem wind and stem set, dust proof, nickel-plated case, solid back, finely finished, highly polished steel plates. Modeled after a watch that cost a little more money. The printed guarantee goes with each watch. **Sent post-paid on receipt of 2 cent postage stamp and 90 signatures** cut from wrappers of Arbuckles' Roasted Coffee.

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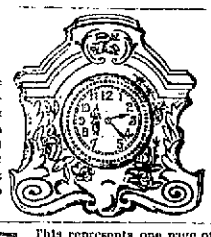

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[Chicago Tribune.]

The statistics of embezzlement during the last three months furnish one of the most significant and incontestable proofs of the prosperity of the country. Embezzlements always flourish in financially hard times and when business is at a low ebb, as the record for several years past demonstrates. The embezzlements for August last were $34,963; for September, $23,923; and for October, to date, $70,490, which is the smallest record for any three months in the past twenty years. The total for 1897 was $11,248,084. In 1898 it fell to $5,851,263. Barely two months of 1899 remain and the total is only $1,835,261. Another significant feature of the record is its bearing upon the administration of savings and loan associations. Last year they suffered a loss of $349,800 by embezzlement. This year but one case has been reported and this involves a loss of but $2,145, showing that the weak and rotten companies have been weeded out and only the strong ones survive.

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